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Republicans Win Big Victory Voters Endorse Harding League of Nations Plan

Groesbeck Leads Ferris for Governor by 2 to 1 Vote.

Sales Defeats Scott in Hot Race for County Clerk. School Amendment Defeated.

From almost all over the country come reports of Harding and Coolidge republican candidates for president and vice president, running ahead of Cox and Roosevelt, the democrat candidates. The early returns gave evidence that the pronostagations that had been presented during the last few days of the campaign had been pretty accurate. Harding carried all precincts in Crawford county by good margins with exception of Lovells, which gave Cox one plurality.

Groesbeck, republican candidate for governor, piles up huge majority over Woodbridge N. Ferris, the democrat candidate. His majority in the state is estimated at 162,315. Both Grayling and Lovells gave Ferris a majority. The entire Republican state ticket was elected by big margins.

There had been a pretty hot campaign on in the county and resulted in an easy victory for the republican candidates with exception of Oliver B. Scott, who was defeated for clerk by the present incumbent, Frank Sales, by a majority of 107. Register Andrew Hart and Prosecutor Homer L. Fitch were unopposed in the election.

There was a large vote cast in every precinct of the county, Grayling township leading with the largest percentage. In the latter township there were 763 votes cast.

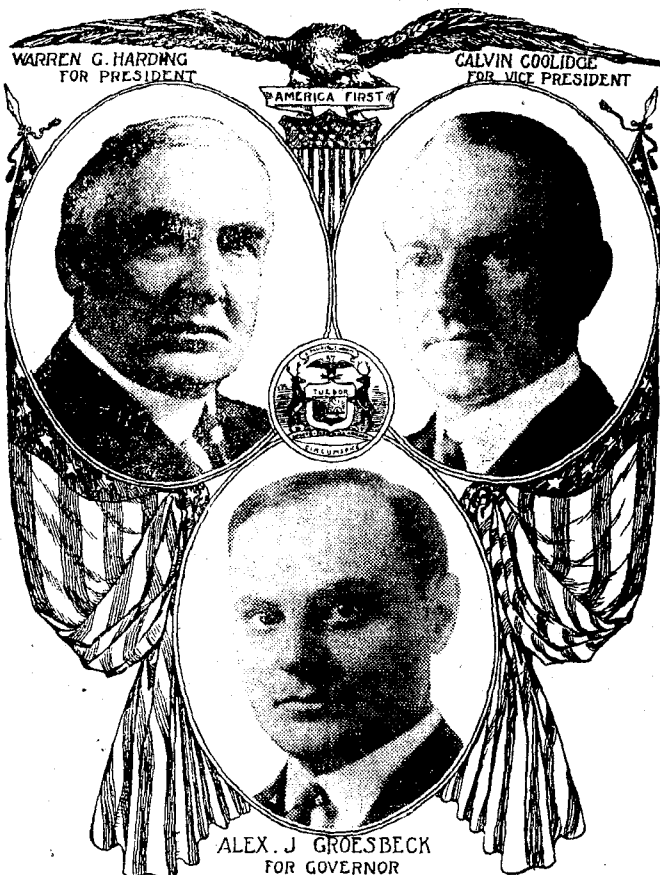
The following tabulated report of the voting in each township is not official but is deemed about correct. We were unable to get the figures in some of the townships on register of deeds, prosecuting attorney, etc., but as these candidates had no opposition the exact vote is not important.

TABULATED REPORT OF LAST TUESDAY'S ELECTION IN CRAWFORD COUNTY.

	Grayling	Ferris	Deward	Lovells	Maple Forest	South Branch	Beaver Creek	Total	Plurality
President									
Harding, R.	467	68	19	20	43	44	43	704	344
Cox, D.	272	18	4	21	9	19	17	360	
Governor									
Groesbeck, R.	322	94	16	15	41	67	36	561	36
Ferris, D.	411	22	7	26	11	24	24	525	
Lieutenant Governor									
Read, R.	441	65	19	20	43	67	42	697	320
Picard, D.	281	19	4	21	10	24	18	377	
Secretary of State									
DeLand, R.	456	66	19	20	43	67	43	714	352
Doran, D.	267	19	4	21	10	24	17	362	
State Treasurer									
Gorman, R.	458	66	19	20	43	67	43	716	356
Sawyer, D.	265	19	4	21	10	24	17	360	
Auditor General									
Fuller, R.	459	66	19	20	43	67	43	717	349
Bressette, D.	263	19	4	21	10	24	17	368	
Attorney General									
Wiley, R.	458	68	19	20	43	67	43	718	352
McKenzie, D.	269	20	4	21	10	24	17	365	
Supreme Justice, vacancy									
Clark, R.	470	67	19	20	43	67	43	729	372
Bunker, D.	260	21	4	21	10	24	17	357	
Supreme Justice, vacancy									
Sharpe, R.	499	63	19	20	44	67	44	756	423
Baker, D.	233	26	4	21	9	24	16	333	
Congressman									
Woodruff, R.	510	58	19	20	43	67	43	760	440
Lynch, D.	224	20	4	21	10	24	17	320	
State Senator									
McRae, R.	493	67	19	20	45	67	44	755	
Representative									
Farrier, R.	490	66	19	20	45	67	43	750	
Circuit Judge									
Smith, R.	502	67	19	20	45	67	43	763	434
Harrington, D.	234	21	4	21	8	24	17	329	
Judge of Probate									
Sorenson, R.	493	62	19	23	40	34	35	706	313
Royce, D.	254	28	4	18	12	55	22	393	
Sheriff									
Richardson, R.	455	63	19	34	37	78	33	719	337
Jorgenson, D.	294	26	4	7	12	14	25	382	
County Clerk									
Scott, R.	289	53	13	13	31	60	31	490	
Sales, D.	454	36	10	28	15	29	25	597	107
County Treasurer									
Chalker, R.	427	65	17	29	31	66	36	671	251
Jorgenson, D.	317	24	6	12	14	26	21	420	
Register of Deeds									
Hart, D.	373			21	17			20	
Prosecuting Attorney									
Fitch, R.	501		19	20	43			43	
Circuit Court Com.									
Fitch, R.	493		19	20	43			43	618

School Amendment in the County

Yes—266
No—623



George Sorenson elected Judge of Probate.



Ernest P. Richardson re-elected Sheriff.



Frank Sales re-elected County Clerk



Edwin S. Chalker elected County Treasurer.

STRAYED.

A large red cow with halter and chain on. Finder please shut her up and notify P. O. Purcell, R. R. No. 1, Grayling.

MET DEATH IN AUTO ACCIDENT

J. M. REAGAN WAS VICTIM OF SAD MISHAP.

A fatal accident took place in our little village late Tuesday afternoon, that has caused no little sadness, and the death of Jerry M. Reagan. The accident occurred on the road near the Greenhouse on State street at about 4:15 o'clock. Mrs. Esbern Hanson was driving Mr. Hanson's Nelson car and came down the hill and rounded the curve on her way to the Greenhouse. Mr. Reagan and Chris Hemmingson were standing on the side of the road conversing, and Mr. Reagan started towards the road and Mrs. Hanson sounded the auto horn, but the old gentleman, who is quite deaf did not seem to hear it, and as Mrs. Hanson was driving very slowly she turned out to give him the road and as she neared him he jumped back and put his hand on the radiator and went under the auto. Mrs. Hanson had perfect control of the auto as only one front wheel went over his body, near the hips. When Mrs. Hanson and Mrs. Marius Hanson who was in the auto with her got to the unfortunate man he was conscious and talked to them. He exonerated Mrs. Hanson from any blame, saying it was his own fault. A grocery truck happened along at about the time of the accident and Mr. Reagan was hurriedly taken to Mercy hospital, where he died at about seven o'clock. It is thought that the shock caused by the accident and Mr. Reagan's age, he being 79 were too much for him. He had been up at the election polls to cast his vote that afternoon, and stopped at the home of his son Robert on his way home. The family have resided on duPont avenue the past several months, renting their comfortable home on Chestnut street.

Mr. Reagan was employed by the Michigan Central railroad for many years, and only a few years ago was obliged to discontinue his work, on account of his age. He was well-liked and his familiar figure now that he is gone will be greatly missed by his many friends. He was of jolly disposition, always ready to tell and listen to a joke. Since leaving the railroad he has operated a small farm near Standish, where much of his time during the summer was spent, but he made frequent visits to his home here. He was a member of the local Knights of Columbus council. The funeral will be held at 9:00 o'clock tomorrow morning at St. Mary's church. Rev. Fr. E. J. Walters, assisted by Rev. Fr. J. J. Riess of Grand Rapids will officiate at the services at a high mass. Besides his wife the deceased is survived by three sons and three daughters, Mrs. Anna Insley, of Detroit, Mrs. C. W. Skinner and Francis Reagan of Royal Oak; Newton Reagan of Bay City, Robert and Miss Helen of Grayling, also an only brother, Michael Reagan of Comins, N. Y. Besides those otherwise mentioned, Marius and Stanley Insley of Detroit and Miss Nancy McAleer of Hartford, Conn., a niece of Mr. Reagan are expected to be here for the funeral.

CONGRESSMEN ELECTED IN STATE OF MICHIGAN

NEWLY ELECTED.

First district—George P. Codd, Detroit.
Third district—W. H. Frankhauser, Hillsdale.
Fourth district—John C. Ketcham Hastings.
Tenth district—Roy O. Woodruff, Bay City.
Thirteenth district—Vincent M. Brennan, Detroit.
Elected in 1912 as Progressive.

RE-ELECTED

Second District—Earl C. Michener, Adrian (second term).
Fifth district—Carl E. Mapes, Grand Rapids (fifth term).
Sixth district—Patrick H. Kelley, Lansing (fifth term).
Seventh district—Louis C. Crampton, Lapeer (fifth term).
Eighth district—Joseph W. Fordney, Saginaw (twelfth term).
Ninth district—James C. McLaughlin, Muskegon (eighth term).
Eleventh district—Frank D. Scott, Alpena (fourth term).
Twelfth district—W. Frank James, Hancock (fourth term).

ARMISTICE DAY PROCLAMATION.

(By the Governor.)
The eleventh day of November next will be the second anniversary of the signing of the Armistice in the Great War, and, inasmuch as the Michigan Legislature in the session of 1919 passed an act making it the duty of school officers and teachers to have said day observed with appropriate commemorative exercises, it is fitting that day should not be allowed to pass without attention being called to its significance.

Therefore, I, Albert E. Sleeper, Governor of the State of Michigan, do issue this proclamation and hereby request a proper and appropriate observance, on the part of the people of the state, of Thursday the eleventh day of November, 1920.

Following the proclamation of President Wilson, I further request that on Sunday, November the fourteenth, 1920, memorial services be held for our heroic dead, for the soldiers, sailors and marines who gave up their lives in our cause in the World War, and that on this day flags be displayed at half staff.

Given under my hand and the Great seal of the state, this twenty-eighth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and of the Commonwealth the eighty-fourth.

ALBERT E. SLEEPER,
Governor.

ATTENTION SERVICE MEN!

All service men are invited to attend a banquet, given by the American, Monday evening, November 8th, at Temple theatre. Good time assured. Victory medals! applications filled out. Have you yours?

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GEORGE BURKE, Grayling, Mich.

Webster—Man's Man

By PETER B. KYNE

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"MOTHER!"

John Stuart Webster, mining engineer, boards a train in Death Valley, California, on his way back to civilization after cleaning up \$100,000. But he looks like a hobo. Then he meets a distressed lady, who makes his heart hop over. He eliminates the offending man. Being what he is and also girl-shy, he does not take advantage of his opportunity. But he just has to find out that she is Dolores Rucy, in Denver he is offered a \$25,000-a-year job by a capitalist friend, Edward P. Jerome. He receives a delayed letter from his own particular pal, Billy Geary, asking him to finance a gold-mining proposition in Central America and go fifty-fifty with him on the profits. Thereupon he turns down the big job and decides to answer the call of friendship and adventure to Sobrante. Jerome goes with John to the depot. They meet the distressed lady on her way to the same train. John lifts his hat, but gets the cut direct from the girl, who does not recognize him. John tells her the whole story. Jerome secretly sees the girl, offering her \$10,000 if she induces John to take his job inside of ninety days. The girl accepts. The scene now shifts to Buenaventura, Sobrante, where Geary, on his uppers, is eating his heart out looking for a cablegram from his old partner. He has waited for two months on credit extended by Mother Jenks, keeper of a respectable hotel. Dolores catches Henrietta Wilkins (Mother Jenks) that she is on her way to visit her. Mother Jenks breaks down and tells her story. She has been educating Dolores, who is the daughter of former President Rucy of Sobrante, deposed and executed by President Sarcos. Mother Jenks doesn't want Dolores to find out she is no longer respectable. So she and Billy plan for him to meet the steamer and to turn the girl back.

CHAPTER VI—Continued.

So this was the vision he had volunteered to meet aboard La Estrellita and by specious lies and hypocritical men, turn her back from the portals of Buenaventura to that dear old United States, which, Billy suddenly recalled with poignant pain, is a sizeable country in which a young lady may very readily be lost forever. With the quick eye of youth, he noted that Dolores was perfectly wonderful in a white flannel skirt and jacket, white buck shoes, white Panama hat with a gorgeous penguin, a mannish little linen collar, and a red four-in-hand tie. From under that white he perceived a profusion of rufous brown hair with a slightly reddish tinge to it; her eyes were big and brown and wide apart, with golden flecks in them; their glance met Billy's hungry gaze simply, directly, and with a curiosity there was no attempt to hide. Her nose was patrician; her beautiful short upper lip revealed the tips of two perfect, milk-white front teeth; she was, Billy Geary told himself, a goddess before whom all low, worthless, ordinary fellows like himself should grovel and die happy, if perchance she might be so minded as to walk on their faces! He was aroused from his critical inventory when the host spoke again: "You haven't answered my question, sir."

"No," said Billy. "I didn't. Stupid of me, too. However, come to think of it, you didn't ask me any question. You looked it. My name is Geary—William H. Geary, by profession a mining engineer and by nature an ignoramus, and I have called to deliver some disappointing news regarding Henrietta Wilkins."

"She is. Very much alive and in excellent health—or rather was, the last time it was my pleasure and privilege to call on the dear lady. But she isn't in Buenaventura now." Monty Billy asked God to forgive him his black-hearted treachery to this winsome girl. He loathed the task he had planned and foisted upon himself, and nothing but the memory of Mother Jenks' manifold kindnesses to him in a day, thanks to Jack Webster, now happily behind him, could have induced him to go through to the finish.

"Why, where is she?" Dolores queried, and Billy could have vented at the sight in those lovely brown eyes.

He waved his hand airily. "Quite safe," he said. "She left three weeks ago for New Orleans to visit you. I dare say you passed each other on the road—here, here, Miss Rucy, don't cry."

He took a recess of three minutes while Dolores dabbed her eyes and went through sundry other motions of being brave. Then he proceeded with his nefarious recital.

"When your cablegram arrived, Miss Rucy, naturally Mrs. Wilkins was not here to receive it, and as I was the only person who had her address, the cable agent referred it to me. Under

aroused instantly and rose superior to her grief. "Why, what's the matter?" she demanded.

Billy looked around, as if fearful of being overheard. He lowered his voice. "We're going to have one grand little first-class revolution," he replied. "It's due to bust almost any night now, and when it does, the streets of San Buenaventura will run red with blood."

Dolores blanched. "Oh, dearie me," she quavered. "Do they still have revolutions here? You know, Mr. Geary, my poor father was killed in one."

"Yes, and the same old political game that shot him is still on deck," Billy warned her. "It would be highly dangerous for a Rucy, man or woman, to show his or her nose around Buenaventura, about now. Besides, Miss Rucy, that isn't the worst," he continued, for a whole-hearted lad was Billy, who never did anything by halves. "The city is reeking with cholera," he declared.

"Cholera?" Dolores' big brown eyes grew bigger with wonder and concern. "How strange the port authorities didn't warn us at New Orleans!"

"Tish! Tush! Fiddlersicks and then some. The fruit company censors everything. Miss Rucy, and the news doesn't get out."

"But the port doctor just said the passengers could go ashore."

"What's a human life to a doctor! Besides, he's on the ship-fund pay roll and does whatever the merchants tell him. You're guided by what I tell you, Miss Rucy, and do not set foot on Sobrante land, soil. If you stay aboard La Estrellita, you'll have your nice clean stateroom, your well-cooked meals, your bath, and the attentions of the stewards. The steamer will be loaded in two days; then you go back to New Orleans, and by the time you arrive there I'll have been in communication by cable with Mother Jenks—I mean—"

"Mother who?" Dolores demanded.

"A mere slip of the tongue, Miss Rucy. I was thinking of my landlady. I meant Mrs. Wilkins—"

"I'm so awfully obliged to you, Mr. Geary. You're so kind, I'm sure I'd be a most ungrateful girl not to be guided by you accordingly. You wouldn't risk any friend of yours in this terrible place, would you, Mr. Geary?"

"Indeed, I would not. By permitting anybody I thought anything of to come to this city, I should feel guilty of murder."

"I'm sure you would, Mr. Geary. Nevertheless, there is one point that is not quite clear in my mind, and I wish you'd explain—"

"Command me, Miss Rucy."

"If this is such a frightful place, why are you so anxious, if I may employ such language, to hornswoggle your dearest friend, Mr. John S. Webster, into coming down here? Do you want to kill him and get his money—or what?"

Billy's face flamed at thought of the embarrassing trap his glib tongue had led him into. He cursed himself for a star-pungled jackass, and while he was engaged in this interesting pastime Dolores spoke again.

"And by the way, which is it? Miss Wilkins or Mrs.? You've called her both, and when I reminded you she was a Mrs., you agreed with me, whereas she is nothing of the sort. She's a Mrs. Then you hinted out something about a Mother Jenks, and finally Mr. Geary, it occurs to me that for a complete stranger you are unduly interested in my welfare. I'm not such a goose as to assimilate your words tales of death from disease. It occurs to me that if your friend John S. Webster can risk Buenaventura, I can also."

"You know that old tarantula?" Billy gasped. "Why—I came out to warn him off the grass, too."

Dolores walked a step closer to Billy and eyed him disapprovingly. "I'm so sorry I can't believe that statement," she replied. "It happens that I was standing by the companion-ladder when you came aboard and spoke to the purser; when you asked 'him if Mr. Webster was aboard, your face was alight with eagerness and anticipation, but when you had reason to believe he was not aboard, you looked so terribly disappointed I felt sorry for you."

"I'm going ashore, if it's the last act of my life, and when I get there I'm going to interview the cable agent; then I'm going to call at the steamship office and scan the passenger list of the last three north-bound steamers, and if I do not find Henrietta Wilkins' name on one of those passenger lists I'm going up to Calle de Concordia No. 10—"

"I surrender unconditionally," groaned Billy. "I'm a liar from beginning to end. I overlooked my hand. I beg of you to believe me, however, when I tell you that I only told you

those whoppers because I was in honor bound to tell them. Personally, I don't want you to go away—at least, not until I'm ready to go away, too! Miss Rucy, my nose is in the dust. There is a fever in my brain and a nursery in my heart."

"And contrition in your face," she interrupted him laughingly. "You're forgiven, Mr. Geary—on one condition."

"Name it," he answered.

"Tell me everything from beginning to end."

So Billy told her. "I would much rather have been visited with a plague of boils, like our old friend, the late Job, than have to tell you this, Miss Rucy," he concluded his recital. "Man proposes, but God disposes, and you're here and bound to learn the truth sooner or later. Mother isn't a lady and she knows it, but take it from me, Miss Rucy, she's a grand old piece of work. She's a scout—a ring-tailed scout—a regular individual and game as a gander."

"And I mustn't call at El Buen Amigo, Mr. Geary?"

"Perish the thought! Mother must call on you. El Buen Amigo is what you might term a hotel for tropical tramps of the masculine sex. Nearly all of Mother's guests have a past, you know. They're the submerged white trash of Sobrante."

"Then my benefactor must call to see me here?" Billy nodded. "When will you bring her here?"

Billy reflected that Mother Jenks had been up rather late the night before and that trade in the cantina of El Buen Amigo had been unusually brisk; so since he desired to exhibit the old lady at her best, he concluded it might be well to spur for wind.

"Tomorrow at 10," he declared. Dolores inclined her head. Something told her she had better leave all future details to the amiable William.

"I remember you inquired for your friend, Mr. Webster, when you came aboard the steamer."

"I remember it, too," Billy countered ruefully. "I can't imagine what's become of him. Miss Rucy, did you ever go to meet the only human being in the world and discover that for some mysterious reason he had failed to keep the appointment? Miss Rucy, you'll have to meet old John Stuart Webster, the minute he lights in Buenaventura. He's some boy."

"Old John Stuart?" she queried.

"How old?"

"Oh, thirty-nine or forty on actual count, but one of the kind that will live to be a thousand and then have to be killed with an axe. He's coming to Sobrante to help me put over a mining deal."

"How interesting, Mr. Geary! No wonder you were disappointed."

The last sentence was a shaft deliberately launched; to Dolores' delight it made a keyhole in Billy Geary's heart.

"Don't get me wrong, Miss Rucy," he hastened to assure her. "I have a good mine, but I'd trade it for a hand-shake from Jack! The good Lord only published one edition of Jack, and limited the edition to one volume; then the plates were melted for the junk we call the human race. Two weeks ago, when I was sick and penniless and despairing, the possessor of a concession on a fortune, but without a centavo in my pockets to buy a banana, when I was a veritable henchman and existing on the charity of Mother Jenks, I managed finally to communicate with old Jack and old him where I was and what I had. There's his answer, Miss Rucy, and I'm not ashamed to say that when I got it I cried like a kid." And Billy handed her John Stuart Webster's remarkable cablegram, the receipt of which had, for Billy Geary, transformed night into day, purgatory into paradise. Dolores read it.

"No wonder you love him," she declared, and added artlessly: "His wife must simply adore him."

"He has no wife to bother his life, so he paddles his own canoe," Billy retorted. "I don't believe the old sour dough has ever been in love with anything more charming than the goddess of fortune. He's woman-proof."

"About Mrs. Jenks," Dolores continued, abruptly changing the subject.

"How nice to reflect that after she had trusted you and believed in you when you were penniless, you were enabled to justify her faith."

"You bet!" Billy declared. "I feel that I can never possibly hope to catch even with the old Summatin, although I did try to show her how much I appreciated her."

"I dare say you went right out and bought her an impossible hat," Dolores challenged laughingly.

"No, I didn't, for a very sufficient reason. Down here the ladies do not wear hats. But I'll tell you what I did buy her, Miss Rucy—and oh, by George, I'm glad now I did it. She'll wear them tomorrow when I bring her to see you. I bought her a new black silk dress and an old-lace collar, and a gold breast pin and a tortoise shell hair comb and hired an open carriage and took her for an evening ride on the Malecon to listen to the band concert."

"Did she like that?"

"She ate it up," Billy declared with conviction. "I think it was her first adventure in democracy."

Billy's pulse was still far from normal when he reached El Buen Amigo, for he was infused with a strange, new-found warmth that burned like malaria fever, but wasn't. He wasted no preliminaries on Mother Jenks, but bluntly acquainted her with the facts in the case.

Mother Jenks eyed him a moment wildly. "Gord's truth!" she gasped; she reached for her favorite elixir, but Billy got the bottle first.

"Nothing doing," he warned this

strange publican. "Mother, you're faking it—and what would your saluted 'Emery' say to that? Do you want that angel to kiss you and get a whiff of this brandy?"

Mother Jenks' eyes actually popped. "Gord, Willie," she gasped. "Aven't I told ye she's a lady! She kiss the lamb! I'll trust, Mr. Geary, as 'ow I knows my place an' can keep it."

"Yes, I know," Billy soothed the frightened old woman, "but the trouble is Miss Dolores doesn't know hers—and something tells me if she does, she'll forget it. She'll take you in her arms and kiss you, sure as death and taxes."

And she did! "My lamb, my lamb," sobbed Mother Jenks the next morning, and rested her old cheek, with its run-begotten hue, close to the rose-tinted ivory cheek of her ward. "Me—wot I am—an' to think—"

"You're a sweet old dear," Dolores whispered, patting the gray head; "and I'm going to call you Mother."

"Mr. William H. Geary," the girl remarked that night, "I know now why your friend, Mr. Webster, sent that cablegram. I think you're a scout, too."

For reasons best known to himself Mr. Geary blushed furiously. "I—I'd better go and break the news to Mother," he suggested lamely. She held out her hand; and Billy, having been long enough in Sobrante to have acquired the habit, bent his maternal person over that hand and kissed it.

As he went out it occurred to him that had the lobby of the Hotel Mateo been paved with eggs, he must have floated over them like a wraith, so light did he feel within.

CHAPTER VII.

Webster reached New Orleans at the end of the first leg of his journey, to discover that he was one day late to board the Atlanta—a banana boat of the Consolidated Fruit company's line plying regularly between New Or-



"The Outlook Is Very Blue."

leans and that company's depots at Limon and San Buenaventura—which necessitated a wait of three days for the steamer La Estrellita of the Caribbean Mail line, running to Caracas and way ports.

He decided to visit the ticket office of the Caribbean Mail line immediately and avoid the rush in case the travel should be heavy.

The stenograph office was in Canal street. The clerk was waiting on two well-dressed and palpably low-bred sons of the tropics, to whom he had just displayed a passenger list which the two were scanning critically.

Their interest in it was so obvious that unconsciously Webster peeped over their shoulders (no difficult task for one of his stature) and discovered it to be the passenger list of the steamer La Estrellita. They were conversing together in low tones and Webster, who had spent many years of his life following his profession in Mexico, recognized their speech as the bastard Spanish of the peon.

He sat down in the long wall seat and waited until the pair, having completed their scrutiny of the list, turned to pass out. He glanced at them casually. One was a tall thin man whose bloodshot eyes were inclined to "pop," a little—infinitely evidence in the Latin-American that he is drinking more hard liquor than is good for him.

His companion was plainly of the same racial stock, although Webster suspected him of a slight admixture of negro blood. He was short, stocky, and aggressive looking; like his companion, bejeweled and possessed of a thin, carefully cultivated moustache that seemed to consist of about nineteen hairs on one side and twenty on the other. Evidently once upon a time, as the story books have it, he had been shot. Webster suspected a Mauser bullet, fired at long range. It had entered his right cheek, just below the malar, ranged downward through his mouth and out through a fold of flabby flesh under his left jaw. It must have been a frightful wound, but it had healed well except at the point of entrance, where it had a tendency to pucker considerably, thus drawing the man's eyelid down on his cheek and giving to that visage organ something of the appearance of a bulldog's.

Webster gazed after them whimsically as he approached the counter.

"I'd hate to wake up some night and find that howlers with the pucker-

ered eye beaming over me. By the way," he continued, suddenly apprehensive, "do you get much of the parakeet travel on your line?"

"About 80 per cent. of it is off color, sir."

Webster pondered the 80-per-cent. probability of being berthed in the same stateroom with one of those people and the prospect was as revolting to him as would be an unwanted negro guest at the dining table of a southern family. He had all a Westerner's hatred for the breed.

"Well, I want a ticket to San Buenaventura," he informed the clerk, "but I don't relish the idea of a Greaser in the same stateroom with me. I wonder if you couldn't manage to fix me with a stateroom all to myself, or at least arrange it so that in the event of company I'll draw a white man."

"I'm sorry, sir, but I cannot guarantee you absolute privacy nor any kind of white man. It's pretty mixed travel to all Central American ports."

"How many berths in your first-class staterooms?"

"Two."

Webster smiled brightly. He had found a way out of the difficulty. "I'll buy 'em both, son," he announced.

"I cannot sell you an entire stateroom, sir. It's against the orders of the company to sell two berths to one man. The travel is pretty brisk and it's hardly fair to the public, you know."

"Well, suppose I buy one ticket for myself and the other for—well, for my valet, let us say. Of course," he added brightly, "I haven't engaged the valet yet and even should I do so I wouldn't be at all surprised if the rascal missed the boat!"

The clerk glanced at him with a slow smile, and pondered. "Well," he said presently, "if you care to buy a ticket for your valet, I'm sure I shouldn't worry whether or not he catches the boat. If my records show that the space is sold to two men and the purser collects two tickets, I think you'll be pretty safe from intrusion."

"To the harassed traveler," said Mr. Webster, "a meeting with a gentleman of your penetration is as refreshing as a canteen of cool water in the desert. Shoot!" and he produced a handful of gold.

"I will—provided I have one empty cabin," and the clerk turned from the counter to consult his record of berths already sold and others reserved but not paid for. Presently he faced Webster at the counter.

"The outlook is very blue," he announced. "However, I have one berth in No. 34 reserved by a gentleman who was to call for it by two o'clock to-day." He looked at his watch. "It is now a quarter of one. If the reservation isn't claimed promptly at two o'clock I shall cancel it and reserve for you both berths in that room. If you will be good enough to leave me your name and address I will telephone you after that hour. In the meantime, you may make reservation of the other berth in the same stateroom. I feel very confident that the reservation in No. 34 will not be called for, Mr.—"

"Webster—John S. Webster. You are very kind, indeed. I'm at the St. Charles."

"Thanks, ever so much, for my life."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

FAULTY GLOVES MEAN DEATH

Good Reason Why Electric Linemen Take Especial Care of the Rubber Hand Coverings.

You would be extremely careful in your selection of a pair of gloves if you knew that a rip or tear would probably cost you your life.

This is the case in which the electric linemen find themselves, we are told by a writer in the American Machinist. He then goes on and describes the linemen's gloves and the great care with which they are tested. He says:

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Eskimo Inherently Honest.

The Eskimo regards honesty as paramount. He will never misrepresent facts, and although he may want to dispose of an article badly he will rather depreciate it than run the risk of overpraising. A man who lies or deceives another is severely punished.

An Eskimo will not permit a fellow man to need for food or clothing, once he has enough for himself and his family. War, to the parka-hooded men of the North, is unknown. They decide differences by staging dance duels and outwitting each other, and old men act as judges to decide winners.

In this way honor is satisfied. Bribe-taking is unknown. In combating nature, fighting the walrus, the whale, and the bear with primitive weapons the Eskimo displays annual coolness and plans his way out of danger with extreme self-possession.

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When a fellow is trying to mobilize enough courage to kiss a girl he is able to think of germs.—Toleda Blade.

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The greatest man is he who chooses the right with the most invincible resolution.—Seneca.

Enthusiasm sets the pace but common sense wins in a walk.

The virtue lies in the struggle, not in the prize.—Lord Houghton.

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No Possible Question of a Future Reconciliation Between Mabel and Her Former Fiance.

John Brookbank, commander-in-chief of the 330 Richmond business men who are soliciting money for the \$500,000 endowment of Earlham college, was speaking to the men at the daily noon luncheon held in the basement of the Grace M. E. church. He was congratulating them on their good work and exhorting them to greater efforts in the future. He said:

"To gain success in this enterprise, as in any, we must make it real and lifelike. . . something that people can see it worth while and vital and living. Why, we must do as good as the painter who drew a picture of a cat so lifelike that ten minutes after he hung it on the wall there were fleas on it."

President Edwards arose and said: "Or we must do as well as the other painter who drew a picture of a hen. This painter threw the drawing of the hen in the waste basket, but it was so life-like that it just lay there."—Indianapolis News.

A Fresh Start.

"Jack's married."

"Got through sowing his wild oats, eh?"

No, he's already started a new crop with his wife's money.—Boston Transcript.

Dogs are better judges of men than men are of women.

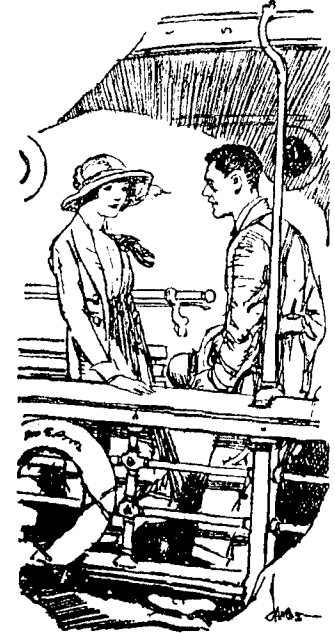
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the circumstances, not knowing where I could reach you with a cable informing you that Mrs. Wilkins was headed for California to see you. I had no other alternative but to let matters take their course. I decided you might arrive on La Estrellita, so I called to welcome you to our thriving little city and, as a friend of about two miles standing, to warn you away from

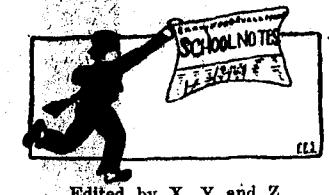
him, as he voiced this singularly mysterious curiosity was

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"Education is a companion which no misfortune can depress, no crime destroy, no enemy alienate, no despotism enslave. At home, a friend; abroad, an introduction; in solitude, a solace; in society, an ornament. Without it, what is man?—A splendid slave, a reasoning savage."—Varle.

High School Rushes to Polls.
The High School election was carried on Tuesday, November 2. The election board was chosen from the senior high and consisted of: Charles Gierke, chairman; Ingeborg Hanson and Meredith Cameron, inspectors; Ruby Olson and Helen Brown,

clerk. The polls were open from eight forty-five to ten fifteen. The votes were cast as follows:
Harding—107.
Cox—58.
Ferris—37.
Grossbeck—72.
State Officers all republican.

Miss Loomis—"Name three articles containing starch?"
Morey Abrahams—"Two cuffs and a collar."

The boys and girls have begun practicing basketball. Mr. Buehler will coach the boys' team and Miss Joseph will coach the girls'.

Richard Lovely, Alfred Hermann, Ronnow Hanson and Harold Schmidt visited school this last week.

The chemistry teacher gave her class the following instructions today: "Find the molecular weight of these acids? I will not expect you to know the formulas of the most difficult ones."

A pupil, "Give us all difficult ones then."

The civics class visited the official polls Tuesday afternoon.

Ruth Taylor has returned to school after a long illness.

Mildred Bates translating a French play.

"Perichon—'Did I have any callers while away?'"

Jean—"Yes, they are on the table."

"Vella Hermon taught the Geometry class Monday afternoon until Miss Joseph arrived."

At the Grand Rapids Teachers' association, President McKinley of the Ypsilanti Normal college, in his address at the different banquets, predicted, as did other educators, that 1921 would see more legislative changes in the government of both state and nation than has taken place within the last century. The reason for this is due to the light thrown upon existing conditions in our country. The educational conditions in particular, and the national feeling that has been created to change such conditions. He strongly urged that everyone get in touch with their legislators and congressmen before congress and the legislature convenes, and acquaint these men with what we stand for and what changes we desire to see put across.

When we realize that on the average, every third person cannot read and write, it is time that our country awakens to the dangers we are facing, and not only back the Smith-Towner Bill, which is awakening legislature to create an educational department to the President's cabinet, but all other educational bills that will levitate the condition.

United States has been the leader of nations in educational advancement, but we cannot long claim such a place. China has today a minister of education—we have nothing to equal it.

The civics class conducted a contest on voting and the two best compositions were to appear in these columns at this time but because of lack of space they will be held over to appear next week.

GRADE NOTES.

Jerald Willet and Merton Burrows are back in the third grade after being quarantined with scarlet fever. We're sure school will be lively again with Merton back.

The second grade have begun their table of threes.

Nine fourth graders, Calley Brot, Henry LaGrow, Louise Lavack, Margaret Larson, Dorothy May, Dever Coffman, Maxine Collins and Alice Smith have been neither late nor tardy.

Dird Willet is back again after having scarlet fever.

The fourth grade is proud of Margaret Richards. She has missed no word in spelling this semester.

FREDERIC SCHOOL NOTES.

The pupils of the fourth grade are dramatizing the story, "How the trick Rabbit was caught."

The fifth graders have been working on story problems in arithmetic this week.

The pupils of the sixth grade are reading a selection from "Don Quixote."

The intermediates are learning Hallowe'en songs this week.

Constance Gardner, Opal Smith, Elroy Barber, Verle Sheldon and Bernard Callahan of the seventh grade were neither absent nor tardy during October.

The seventh grade enjoyed a Hallowe'en party Friday afternoon.

High School civics held a mock election Wednesday.

Eldo Johnson and Patrick Tophan are back to school.

With the help of another teacher, we have now arranged our program

to include the subject of latin. The tenth and eleventh grade have decided to learn this language.

F. D. Goshorn, president of the Board of Trustees visited the Fredric Schools Tuesday. That's right. Come again. Officers and patrons always welcome.

On Monday mornings the teachers and pupils from the other rooms come in the high room for morning exercises. The teachers take turns in furnishing the program.

Tuesday morning the superintendent gave instruction to the High school students as to the method of voting.

Hallowe'en was observed in Fredric with the usual ceremony. The night before the boys were present. The morning after the night before the janitor was present and the boys were absent.

Intermediate Room.

The following people were neither absent nor tardy last month: Keith Tolmer, Charlie Johnson, Corinne Sheldon, Evelena Barber, Lola Craven, Elsie Burke and Francis Hunter.

The pupils enjoyed their Hallowe'en party last Friday afternoon.

The sixth graders are having industrial problems in arithmetic.

MICHELSON MEMORIAL CHURCH.

This church invites all to attend its services and sociable occasions. No one need stay away because of no invitation. Come and get acquainted with the church going people of Grayling. They are a good sort to meet. A fine congregation and a high quality of music made last Sunday interesting to all.

Thursday evening is the prayer meeting each week at seven-thirty o'clock. Come!

The anniversary of the church will be held the first week of December. Great lecture and banquet.

Next Sunday morning at ten-thirty the service of worship. Sunday School at eleven forty-five. Evening service at seven. The aim is better folks; better thinking; better acting and better lives.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. E. W. Behlke is in Bay City for a few days.

Mrs. Edna Miller, who has been quite ill at her home is improving.

A. M. Lewis was in Saginaw and Brown City Friday until Tuesday.

When a fellow tries to appear at his best he often shows up the worst.

Miss Bessie Brown returned Friday of last week after a few days spent in Bay City.

Mrs. Elvira Underhill and brother Emanuel Rasmussen were in Wolverson last Friday.

The Hospital Aid society will meet Thursday afternoon, November 11, at the home of Mrs. Marius Hanson.

Insure your health by wearing first quality footwear. Once a customer, always a customer. E. J. Olson.

The Red Cross drive for members begins Nov. 11. Be ready to join when the committee calls upon you.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson of Flint have come to Grayling to remain for the winter. Mrs. Johnson was formerly Miss Denia Sivrais.

Mr. and Mrs. Allyn Kidston and daughter Ade were in Pinnington and Bay City over Sunday visiting at the former place Mrs. Kidston's mother, Mrs. Lowe.

Miss Olga Nielsen spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting her sister, Miss Margrethe Nielsen, who is attending Ferris Institute in Big Rapids.

Mrs. Frank Mack of Gaylord was in Grayling over Sunday visiting her husband, who is employed here. She was enroute from Flint, where she has been making a visit.

Mrs. Jos. Douglas of Lovells, left Wednesday of last week for Cheboygan to take a course of treatments at the Tuttle Swedish bath house. She is suffering with rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Duval entertained Miss Hanna Gronlund of Jennings over Sunday. Mrs. Duval and Miss Gronlund were room mates, while attending Ferris Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Millard, who have been residing in Flint, have returned to Grayling for the winter, the former being employed as barber at the Carl Sorenson barber shop.

There will be a special meeting of Grayling Chapter O. E. S. No. 83 on Wednesday evening, November 10th. Initiation and refreshments. Meeting will be called promptly at 7:30.

Join the Red Cross November 11. There will be a house to house canvass, please ready with your dollar to help the organization that is doing so much for our boys and us.

Miss Ruth Taylor spent last week in Detroit visiting her sister, Miss Edna Taylor, who is attending the Detroit Business University. The latter is taking a secretarial course at the University.

Mrs. Chas. L. Tromble and her sister, Mrs. H. G. Stephens of Seattle, Wash., who has been her guest the past few weeks, went to Detroit the latter part of the week to visit relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kabell are disposing of their household goods and preparing to move to Newberry, expecting to leave some day this week. Mr. Kabell, who is working near Newberry came to Grayling the fore part of the week.

De and Mrs. J. J. Love returned Monday night from an enjoyable trip in the North. They had accompanied Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Johnson and daughter Ardath to the Soo, motoring through in the Johnson auto a week or more ago, and spent several days their guests. The Johnson family, have gone to make their home at the Soo, after a short residence in Grayling.

Your year is up and it is now time to renew your membership to the Red Cross. Don't let this noble organization drop out of existence. It is helpful to every community. The officers and committees spend much time and effort in carrying on the Red Cross work and they receive no pay whatever. You can help by keeping up your membership. \$1.00 is all that is required.

\$18.00 moccasins, now \$16.00 at E. J. Olson's.

James Olson of Oxford is in the city for a couple of days on business.

Teddy Howell of Bay City is visiting his sister, Mrs. James Bowen.

Mrs. William McNeven and Miss Erdine spent the week-end in Bay City.

Of all sad words of tongue or pen the saddest are frequently these: "Where have you been?"

The best footwear is none to good for winter. We have the best for men and boys. E. J. Olson.

The man who succeeds in conquering his bad habits is indeed a conquering hero.

E. J. Hodges, postmaster of Vandebilt, brought his three weeks old child to Grayling Mercy hospital for treatment last Saturday.

The M. E. Church will be open Friday afternoon and anyone having dishes belonging to the church please return them Friday. We need them.

Miss Cypress has completed her studies at the Grayling Mercy hospital training school for nurses and left Tuesday for her home in Cheboygan.

Arthur J. Karpus of Bay City, but formerly of Grayling, will captain the U. of M. basketball team this year. The team is being organized at the present time.

Miss Mae Whipple of the Bank of Grayling is enjoying a week's vacation from her duties. She is spending part of the time in Mio, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Cripps.

Bert Defrain received a telegram from her sister, Mrs. Ivan Thompson, of Petoskey of the death of their ten month old twin son, Roy. The little boy's twin brother is also seriously ill.

Mrs. Leroy Froesch and son Fredrick returned to Grayling from Detroit Saturday afternoon, and the family are making their home with Guy G. Pringle. Mr. Froesch is employed at the Cowell barber shop.

Dr. D. M. Howell and bride arrived in Grayling Monday of this week from Marshfield, Wis., and are at home to their friends on Maple St., in the bungalow, formerly owned by Mrs. Tillie Sparkes.

The M. E. church will give a Fair November 18, and among the features will be a home-coming booth, Harvest booth, baby booth, fancy work and several others. A regular supper will be served in the dining room. Come!

Merrick F. Tracy, who was seriously injured, while at work in the Kneeland-Bigelow camp near Lewiston, the latter part of the week, died at Mercy hospital, Tuesday morning from the injuries. A tree fell on him while he was at work causing a severe contusion of the chest. The man was almost 59 years old. His son Merrick F. Tracy, Jr., of Lewiston came to care for his remains, which were taken to Manistee Wednesday for burial Friday.

The Danish young people gave an enjoyable Hallowe'en party at the Danish Gymnasium last Friday evening. The decorations were in keeping with Hallowe'en with small pine trees and maple tree branches placed here and there. In different places around the room were cretione covered benches, and a fortune-teller told fortunes in a booth in one corner.

In another corner a servself lunch was arranged. Danish Schottisches and polkas with music by a victrola was much enjoyed by those present.

The remains of Earl McMahon who died in the fall of 1918 of pneumonia in France, arrived in Grayling yesterday morning from New York for burial. A military funeral is being held this afternoon, conducted by Grayling Post 106, American Legion.

Mr. Jeffrey McMahon, father of the young man, Mrs. John Hodge and Mrs. Thos. Rousseau and Leslie McMahon sisters and brothers, all of Detroit came to Grayling yesterday to attend the funeral. Soon after his country was called to colors he enlisted in the U. S. Navy, and passed away before he had served a year.

Daisy June, aged 21 months, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Larson passed away at a hospital in Detroit last Saturday evening after a ten days' illness, death being caused from tubercular meningitis. The remains of the little girl were brought to Grayling, Sunday morning and taken to the home of her grandfather, Peter Larson, where funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock.

Besides her parents the little girl is mourned by a sister Betty. The Larson family who formerly resided in Grayling are now located in Detroit. Mrs. Peter Larson who is a sister of Mrs. Clarence Larson, went to Detroit last week called there by the child's illness. She returned home Sunday morning.

The spawning season is again at hand at the Fish Hatchery, the first spawn being taken last Saturday, when 100,000 eggs were taken. Supt. Zalsman says he will take about 600,000 this year, or twice as many as were taken last year, and expects to double this number another season. The new ponds are about completed, and they will have 16 places for different kinds or sizes of fish, and Mr. Zalsman says he hopes to see all the ponds full of trout. They are now pumping water with the new water wheel. It is not as much of a success as was hoped for but they expect to improve it before another season. By the use of the water wheel they will be able to furnish running water to the hatchery the year around and will save much expense on fuel.

NIGHT SCHOOL.

There will be meeting at the School house next Monday night at 7:30 o'clock of all those interested in taking up night school work. If you are interested come.

B. E. Smith, Supt.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Please be in attendance at the regular meeting to be held next Wednesday, Nov. 10. There will be initiation. No cards will be sent out.

THANKS THE VOTERS.

I wish to thank the voters of Crawford county for the splendid vote given me for the office of County Treasurer. I am indeed grateful and promise my best efforts in the service of this office.

Respectfully yours,
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CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the neighbors and friends for the beautiful flowers and the kindness shown us during our late sorrow the death of our little daughter.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Larson.

NOTICE.

Will all people who have dishes, linen, etc., belonging to the Parents-Teachers' association, please return same at once to Supt. Smith at the school house. Also call for your plates and pans that have been left there for some time.

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You have only to say the word and we'll send one of our expert repair men to overhaul your machine, oil it, put in fresh graphite and tune it up generally.

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LOCAL NEWS

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, NOV. 4.

Mrs. G. S. Wendt and little daughter, Mary Jane Alice left last Friday to spend a few days with relatives in Detroit.

A large number attended the masquerade party at Johnson's hall on the South side Saturday night, and all report a fine time.

Albert Borchers, who has been a patient at Mercy hospital the past couple of weeks ill with typhoid fever was dismissed Tuesday.

Clarence and Edwin Morfit were hosts to the boys of the duPont Saturday evening. It was a real Spook party and a jolly time for the boys.

With 17,000 men still in Germany, and 26,000 in hospitals, there is still need to carry on the Red Cross. All you need is a heart and a dollar to do your share.

Health Officer Peter E. Johnson says that he will make complaint against any person found shooting within the village limits. He requests that we publish this as a warning.

The Halloween dancing party at the Temple theatre Saturday evening was a very much enjoyed affair. The crowd present was made up of mostly the younger folks. Clark's six-piece orchestra furnished the music.

Helen Jane Behlke entertained ten girls and boys with a Halloween party Saturday evening. The youngsters went in costume and made the most of the holiday. Helen Jane makes a fine hostess and they all had a splendid time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Masch entertained at Bridge Saturday evening. There were sixteen ladies and gentlemen present. Everyone had a fine time. The hostess served delicious refreshments. Mrs. Marius Hanson and Mr. Robert Gillett held the highest scores.

William L. Ausum of Rosecommon, and Miss Virginia Lucille Smith of Mackinaw City were united in marriage at the latter place, where they will make their home. Mr. Ausum who is a telegraph operator has taken the places at various times of operators in the local Western Union office.

Justice Emil Kraus served on the election board Tuesday and all night and had time next morning to hear three cases of violation of the game laws, charging the killing of mink, partridge and other prohibited game. The parties were from Caro and the trio paid fines and costs amounting to \$48.40.

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The members of the Loyal Order of Moose enjoyed a rabbit supper Monday night at their club rooms. The Women's Benefit association, who heretofore have been holding their regular meetings in the Moose hall, will hereafter hold their meetings in the Oddfellow Temple. Meetings are held the first and third Fridays of each month.

The Board of Trade opened their club rooms Tuesday night to the public to hear the election returns. The Republican County committee had their reports delivered there. There was a good crowd present. Billiards, cards and social visiting occupied the time between reports. Some good sandwiches and hot coffee kept the hunger wolf away until the late hours of the morning.

Miss Walton, our public health nurse, will be at the rest room at the Salling Hanson company store every Saturday forenoon and will be glad to give any information that she can. Bring your health problems to her. Especially do we urge the farmers to call. Ask for some of the splendid health pamphlets which are free. American Red Cross Nursing Committee Crawford County.

Mildred Johnson, age 13, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter E. Johnson, was shot in the calf of one of her legs last Monday evening and Clyde Dyer, age 17, is under arrest charged with committing the deed. The case will come up for hearing in the juvenile court next Monday. It is claimed that the gun was loaded with beans, one of the missiles embedding itself deeply in the calf of the little girl, and had to be extracted by a physician. It appears to have been a Halloween prank and it is presumed that the young man did not know that beans would penetrate as it has seemed to do. The shot was fired into a crowd of little girls but Mildred appears to have been the only one to be struck.

The High school conducted an election contest last Monday, instruction ballots being used. A regular election board was organized to conduct the election, and voters were required to go thru the regular channels—registration, voting, etc. It was excellent experience for the boys and girls and if remembered will be of value to them when they actually partake in a regular election. The result of the ballot has been submitted to this office but because of the extra labor due to the election, we are unable to handle it completely. Harding led with 107 votes over Cox, who received 50. Ferris received 87 and Groesbeck 72. There was much splitting of tickets also one Socialist ticket.

Just received a new shipment of silverware. Finest that ever came to town. Call in and see it at the Gift Shop.

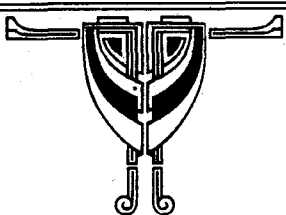
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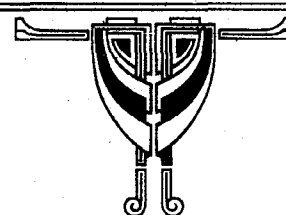
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Lima Beans, 20c a can, 4 for.....65c
Hominy and Succotash, 20c a can, 4 for.....65c
Pumpkin, large can, 15c a can, 4 for.....50c
Pineapple, finest slice, 60c a can, 2 for.....90c
Pineapple, finest slice, 40c a can, 3 for.....\$1.00

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Sweet Potatoes, 5 pounds.....27c	Peaches in heavy Syrup, Can.....41c
Pineapple, Large Can.....45c	Macaroni, Fresh, 2 pound.....29c
Peas, Early June, 2 Cans.....29c	Sour Pickles, dozen.....29c
Nut Olo Margarine, pound.....33c	Cheese, Mild N. Y., pound.....35c
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STATE NEWS

Ann Arbor—University of Michigan will observe November 11, Armistice day, by a half holiday.

Pontiac—The salary of the Oakland County sheriff for next year has been fixed at \$6,000, without fees.

Mt. Clemens—The Bausedde Wire Wheel Co. is preparing to begin work on the first building of its new plant here.

Mount Clemens—Methodist Episcopal church here is raising funds for the erection of an African Methodist church.

Pontiac—Board of supervisors here raised the assessed valuation of Oakland county \$13,416,333, to the total \$136,371,408.

Flint—Three thousand dollars worth of diamonds were obtained by a bandit who robbed the office of a local loan company.

Benton Harbor—Assessed valuation of Berrien county is \$65,563,772, an increase of \$8,376,417 over 1919—Benton Harbor is assessed \$1,686,544 higher than in 1919.

Owosso—The campaign of the Owosso Sugar company is in full swing and 1,300 tons of beets are being sliced and 380,000 pounds of sugar made every 24 hours.

Kalamazoo—Charles Ebner, a fruit dealer whose automobile struck William Hancock inflicting injuries which proved fatal, was arrested on a charge of manslaughter.

Kalamazoo—Holding the home of Philip Clemmhook, Federal prohibition officers confiscated a home made still and three barrels of raisin mash. Seven arrests were made.

Albion—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ellerby, on a farm near this place, were saved from death by passing motorists who awakened them as their house was burning. The loss on the house was \$4,500.

Mt. Clemens—William Hill, an employe of the Mt. Clemens Sugar Co., was badly injured when an iron pipe was thrown against him when he opened the wrong valve on the steam boiler.

Muskegon—A body, believed to be that of Oliver Heimerman, of Milwaukee, who was drowned when the steamer City of Muskegon sank in Lake Michigan a year ago, was found on the beach here.

Pontiac—The 1921 convention of the state Baptist association will be held in Pontiac next fall, coincidentally with celebration of the centenary of the church here. The decision was reached at the conference in Coldwater.

Kalamazoo—While Mrs. Ada Flaherty was away from home, thieves backed a truck to her front door and made away with a lot of rugs, tables, a piano and a number of small articles, valued at several thousand dollars.

Marquette—Asher Graham Holland, serving a life sentence in Marquette prison for the murder of Mrs. Emma McCue in Detroit, hanged himself in his cell. A short time before he had participated in a football match in the prison yard.

Grand Rapids—The board of supervisors at its meeting added another item to the high cost of living by raising the fee for marriage licenses from \$1 to \$2. The board also placed in effect a new schedule which raises nearly all other county fees.

Port Huron—Although the body found in the St. Clair River near Algoma has not yet been identified, it is thought it may be that of Dave Gilbert, of Detroit, who drowned at the Flat, eight months ago. The head, arms and legs of the body are missing.

Saginaw—The Homestead, an institution maintained by the Civic League for the care of girls, has been designated by the Saginaw County board of supervisors as a detention home for juvenile delinquents. The board voted the home \$12,000 for 1921.

Flint—Sentences of from five to 10 years were imposed in the Genesee County Circuit Court by Judge F. W. Brennan on Curtis Gilmore and Miss Belva Ritchie, who pleaded guilty to abandoning their baby on a doorstep. Miss Ritchie was sent to the Detroit House of Correction and Gilmore to Marquette. Miss Ritchie fainted when her sentence was announced.

Holly—Ensign Skidmore, a farmer living at Tyrone, near here, and an unidentified man were instantly killed when the truck in which they were riding was struck by a Pere Marquette passenger train at Rose Center crossing. Skidmore was returning to his home from Detroit, and it is thought his companion may have been picked up along the route, or accompanied him on the entire journey. Skidmore apparently failed to hear the approaching train and drove his machine directly in its path.

Lansing—Two hundred and fifty-six persons met death violently in Michigan during September, according to a report issued by the division of vital statistics. A total of 3,150 deaths were reported from all causes during the month. Of the violent fatalities, 35 were due to railway accidents, 10 electric railway, 35 auto, 14 drowning, 21 homicides, and 34 suicides. Four electrocutions were recorded, and one death from fire. Cancer with a total of 239 among elderly persons claimed the largest toll of those who died of disease.

Saginaw—To place on the ballot the name of Morris McNally, of Saginaw, Liberal party candidate for Congress, will cost the taxpayers of the Eighth Congressional District approximately \$8,000. McNally, the only candidate of his party in the district, was nominated at the August primary by one vote, cast in his home precinct, in Saginaw's Fifth Ward. His nomination compels addition of an extra column to the November ballot and that extra column on 150,000 ballots, officials assert, will cost at least \$8,000.

Alma—Nearly \$1,000,000 will be paid to farmers for beets this month by the Michigan Sugar Co.

Escanaba—Robert Kelly, a switchman, was killed when he fell from an ore car and was run over by a train.

Flint—An appropriation of \$195,000 for next year is asked by the Genesee County road commission for work on 16 roads.

Escanaba—Lucille Larch, three years old, suffered serious burns when her clothing caught fire while burning leaves.

Adrian—Sanford Cooley arrived in Adrian by airplane from Topeka, Kas., to visit Sheriff Nutten his brother-in-law, here.

Alma—When Byron Foster started his automobile it jumped the curb and damaged three plate glass windows to the extent of \$2,000.

Pontiac—Hog cholera has infested \$19,600 worth of hogs in Oakland county, said B. F. Beach, business manager of the Oakland county farm bureau.

Big Rapids—C. G. Card, school commissioner, resigned to join the staff of the Michigan Agricultural College. He will be succeeded by Leroy Bell, of Remus.

Pontiac—Pontiac intends to start legal proceedings to force payment of delinquent taxes collected in 1920 by the county, asserting that the moneys collected are not turned over according to law.

Pontiac—The city commission has settled the case brought against the city by John W. Phillips for damages for the loss of his daughter, who was drowned in a sewer. Phillips was paid \$1,250.

Muskegon—City commission by ordinance has banned objectionable dances and decreed the keeping of a proper distance between dancers. Public dance halls are enjoined to obtain city licenses.

Muskegon—William Bishop, 74, was arrested charged with murder following the stabbing to death of Charles Hamallo, 20. Bishop, the officers say, admits the stabbing, but says it was in self-defense.

Monroeville—Fire starting from a gas torch in the hands of a workman destroyed the garage of C. W. Behrendt, at Howard, and a store and newspaper office near it. The loss is estimated at \$20,000.

Monroeville—When the automobile of Walter Hessel, of Escanaba, ran into the ditch near this place, he lighted a match to see what the trouble was. All that remains of the \$2500 car are the two front wheels.

Lansing—Earl Rupp, the Okemos farmer who was accused of killing his two daughters, was declared insane by Judge Howard West in the Ingham County Circuit Court. He was ordered committed to the State Hospital.

Kalamazoo—Asserting his wife is wearing a wedding ring belonging to Mrs. Frank Weicher and that she expects to marry the other woman's husband as soon as they can obtain divorces, Robert Rose has filed a counter suit for divorce.

Port Huron—Michael Nerzanowitch, Russian, was arrested here and faces trial on the charge of bringing Anna Duncan from Canada for immoral purposes. He also is charged with unlawfully sending Katherine Yorks to Detroit and Bay City.

Big Rapids—Mrs. Paul Olson, who was arrested here in July charged with bigamy, pleaded guilty in Circuit Court but told the Court she believed her first husband, Claude Morey, of Blanchard, had obtained a divorce. She was placed on probation.

Saginaw—Michigan's production of beet sugar from the 1920 crop will be 10 per cent larger than in 1919, according to local officials of the Michigan Sugar Co., which operates six factories in the state. The 1919 production was 100,000,000 pounds.

Pontiac—Mrs. Lizzie Cooper, surrendered to the sheriff following the shooting of Matei Poltan, her landlady, in her home. The man is seriously wounded. Officials say the shooting followed a quarrel over a chimney the man had promised to repair.

Port Huron—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kurtz and Quilton Barrett, of this city, were arrested when they docked in their launch, the Faith, at Cleveland, charged with violating the Volstead act. Ten cases of whiskey which they are alleged to have smuggled, was confiscated.

Negaunee—Called to come downstairs where friends were gathered for his wedding Dr. B. J. Smith, a dentist, replied: "I'll be ready in a minute." Then came a shot. Guests hurried upstairs and found Dr. Smith dead in his bedroom. He had blown off his head with a shotgun.

Flint—Mrs. Christine L. Perry, of Grand Blanc, took her seat as a member of the Genesee county board of supervisors, having been elected by the Grand Blanc township board to succeed her husband, Roy Perry. Mr. Perry resigned after serving nine years on the board, during which time Mrs. Perry had assisted him.

Bay City—Mrs. Mayme Schweigert, of Harbor Beach, was convicted in United States court on a charge of sending obscene letters through the mails and was immediately sentenced to the Detroit house of correction for two years. Letters introduced in evidence were sent to a young woman at Harbor Beach, whom she suspected of replacing her in the affections of a young man, who boarded at the Schweigert home, and later to two young women in New Jersey with whom the young man became acquainted after he had enlisted.

Marquette—Milo Valli, and Ismoelle Guizette, of Negaunee, were convicted of conspiracy in the transportation of liquor from Canada, in federal court here. Court officials and federal prohibition officers say they regard the verdict as highly important, for it leaves the two men convicted liable to prison sentences, instead of the fine of \$500 and costs stipulated in the Volstead act for the first offense. The conviction came about from the seizure of nearly 500 quarts of bonded liquor in Grand Marais, an Alger county town on Lake Superior.

DALRYMPLE, RUM FIGHTER, QUILTS

FEDERAL PROHIBITION AGENT SENDS IN RESIGNATION TO REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

FORGED LABELS DISCOVERED

Beware of "Bottled in Bond" Rum, Warning issued; Dalrymple to Join Trade Commission.

Washington.—The resignation, effective Oct. 31, of Maj. A. V. Dalrymple, supervising federal prohibition agent at Chicago, was formally announced by Commissioner Williams, of the Bureau of Internal Revenue. He has had charge of the central enforcement department which comprises the states of Michigan, Indiana, Illinois and Wisconsin.

Widespread counterfeiting of internal revenue stamps in connection with violation of prohibition laws was disclosed when the bureau issued a warning against "bottled in bond" whiskey. The country was being flooded, Commissioner Williams said, with beverages, labeled "Bottled in Bond," which bore spurious tax stamps.

Mr. Williams said the fact the bottles bore the tax stamp was no guarantee the liquor did not contain wood alcohol or some other injurious substance to endow it with the "kick" of whiskey manufactured under Government inspection. Quantities of whiskey, bearing names of well-known brands, but which was described after chemical analysis, as being "largely pure juice, water and sugar," have been taken in raids.

May Join Trade Commission.

Chicago.—Resignation of Maj. A. V. Dalrymple may be followed by his appointment as a member of the tariff commission, according to reports here. He said Jesse Brown would serve as acting head of the local office.

Maj. Dalrymple sprang into national prominence early this year as a result of the "rum rebellion" of Iron County, Michigan, where local authorities defied his orders. He conducted an "armed invasion" of the territory but when he arrived on the scene no drastic action was taken and his force returned to Chicago.

16 SENTENCED ON RUM CHARGES

Judge Sessions Also Levies Fines For Upper Peninsula Violators.

Marquette.—Sixteen upper peninsula violators of the Volstead act, were sentenced by Judge Clarence Sessions, in federal court, to the Detroit house of correction to serve terms ranging from 60 days, with \$100 fine, to six months with \$500 fines. Six others were sentenced to county jail, four with fines of \$100 from 30 to 90 days in Marquette and one of \$200.

Ismoelle Guizette and Emilio Valli, of Negaunee, convicted for conspiracy in connection with transportation of liquor from Canada, Judge Sessions ordered imprisonment in the Detroit house of correction for six months with \$500 fine, Guizette and Valli are said by federal agents and court officials to be the first men sentenced for conspiracy in connection with whiskey smuggling.

Frank Miller and Henry Larson, prominent Hancock soft drink bottlers, who expanded their business to include the operation of what federal agents say is the largest still in upper Michigan, were also sentenced to Detroit.

Miller is to serve six months with \$100 fine and Larson six months with \$500 fine.

BRITAIN MINE STRIKE IS OVER

Government and Miners Agree to Sliding Scale of Wages.

London.—The coal mining dispute, which tied up all the collieries in Great Britain for nearly two weeks, was settled provisionally when a revised settlement formula was found which proved acceptable to the government, the coal mine owners and the miners' executive officers.

The terms which the executive body of the miners is recommending to the men provide for an advance of two shillings per shift for persons of 18 years of age, with a corresponding advance for younger miners. The miners pledged themselves to co-operate to the fullest extent to obtain an increased output.

The terms provide increased wages and remain operative until a permanent wages board is established which will be operative by the end of March. The additional cost of the miners' claims will come out of the excess revenues obtained from the export of coal.

Casualties Few On Subway.

New York.—Since New York's first subway train was run, 16 years ago, the Interborough Rapid Transit Company has carried 4,301,000,000 passengers—approximately three times the total population of the world. During that time there have been only seven passengers killed by accident, or one to every 614,400,000 passengers carried. On the opening day the subway carried 111,881 passengers, compared with more than 2,000,000 now carried daily.

Ask Congress To Buy Liquor.

Washington.—Congress is urged to buy up all supplies of intoxicating liquors held in bonded warehouses, in resolutions adopted by the board of temperance, prohibition and public morals of the Methodist Church. The holdings should be got together in a smaller number of warehouses, and a board's recommendation said, and after a sufficient supply for "legitimate uses" had been set aside, the balance should be made unfit to drink and sold for industrial purposes.

PAUL IS PROCLAIMED KING OF THE GREEKS



KING ALEXANDER

Athens.—Prince Paul, younger brother of the late King Alexander, was proclaimed king by the Greek parliament.

Admiral P. Pountouriotis was elected regent.

Prince Paul was born in this city Dec. 1, 1901, and is not married. Since his father, former King Constantine, left Greece, Prince Paul has been with him in Switzerland.

King Alexander died recently of blood poisoning due to wounds received when a pet monkey attacked him Oct. 5, the king being badly torn and bitten.

STATE TO OBSERVE NOV. 11TH

Gov. Sleeper Asks Commemoration of Signing of Armistice.

Lansing.—Governor Sleeper issued the following Armistice day proclamation:

"The eleventh day of November next will be the second anniversary of the signing of the armistice in the great war, and, inasmuch as the Michigan legislature in the session of 1919 passed an act making it the duty of each school officer and teachers to have said day observed with appropriate commemorative exercises, it is fitting that the day should not be allowed to pass without attention being called to its significance.

"Therefore, I request a proper and appropriate observance on the part of the state on Thursday, the eleventh day of November, 1920.

"Following the proclamation of President Wilson, I further request that Sunday the 14th, memorial services be held for our heroic dead, for the soldiers, sailors and marines who gave up their lives in our cause in the world war, and that on this day flags be displayed at half staff."

RUSH TO STAKE GOLD MINES

Government Later Recinds Order Opening Claims For Re-Staking.

Toronto, Ont.—Rake handles, baseball bats and other less useful pieces of wood were employed as stakes for mining claims in an old-fashioned rush in the gold mining section of Northern Ontario.

The rush resulted from the government's announcement that 11 mining claims along the Swastika-Kirkland lake highway, upon which taxes had not been paid, would be thrown open for re-staking. After a wild scramble to claim the best locations, word was received that the government had passed an order at 11:30 o'clock allowing owners to retain their claims.

The government's order resulted when owners of the claims informed the minister of mines that their properties were actual mines and large expenditures for development had been made.

U. S. NOT FAVORABLE TO PACT

Signing of Russian Dismemberment Treaty Would Strengthen Soviets.

Paris.—The treaty of cession prepared by the ambassadors' council, providing for "the suzerainty of Rumania over Bessarabia," or in other words, annexing Bessarabia to Rumania was signed at the French foreign office.

A clause in the treaty provides that Russia will be permitted to sign at such time as "the reconstituted Russian government is recognized by the contracting parties."

The American ambassador, Hugh C. Wallace, did not sign the treaty. The state department's position being that Russia should not be dismembered; that so doing would strengthen soviet rule.

Plant Tree at Roosevelt Grave.

Oyster Bay, N. Y.—The 62nd birthday of Theodore Roosevelt was commemorated here by representatives of various societies and organizations, who planted a white oak tree near his grave. The first shovel of earth was thrown upon the roots by Mrs. Thomas A. Edison in behalf of her husband. Others who attended were Lord and Lady Rathenaden, of the British delegation to the tercentenary celebration of the landing of the Pilgrims.

Prohibitionists Spent \$18,017.82.

Washington.—Reports of the national committee of the Prohibition Party filed with the clerk of the House of Representatives showed receipts of \$18,244.49 in the party's Presidential campaign and expenditures of \$18,017.82 up to Oct. 18. George W. Crabbe, Maryland, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, reported \$1,481.85 expended to influence elections in Maryland. O. M. Pullen, state superintendent of West Virginia, reported expenditures of \$221.

UNUSUAL HAPPENINGS AND OTHER BRIEF NEWS

Friendly Relations Renewed.

Havana.—Diplomatic relations between Cuba and Germany have been renewed.

League Staff to Geneva.

London.—The headquarters of the League of Nations here has been closed and the secretariat staff has gone to Geneva.

More British Gold Arrives.

New York.—The steamship Saxonia, from London, Cherbourg, and Halifax, arrived here with nearly \$10,000,000 in gold, consigned to the federal reserve bank.

Armenians Slay Many Turks.

Constantinople.—Several thousand Turkish Nationalists have been killed in battle with Armenians near Oltu and Sarikamish, according to information received here.

Accepts Pact With Regret.

Budapest, Hungary.—Count Paul Teleky, the premier, announces that the government, after mature reflection, regretfully proposes that parliament ratify the treaty of peace.

Noted Specialist Passes.

Eaton, Pa.—Dr. Charles Spencer Kinney, a noted alienist and specialist in nervous diseases, and head of the Eaton sanitarium, is dead. He had been ill since the middle of August and was 66 years old.

Quaker City Honors "Teddy."

Philadelphia.—The city of Philadelphia officially commemorated the sixty-second birthday anniversary of the late Colonel Theodore Roosevelt by dedicating the Northwest Boulevard to the memory of the former president.

Monarchy Applauded by Germans.

Berlin.—Dr. Karl Helfferich, former vice chanceller during the imperial regime, was vigorously applauded when he asserted the necessity of re-establishing the monarchy, during an address before the Nationalist Congress.

No Meat Shortage There.

Dawson, Y. T.—This city has no fear of meat shortage this winter. Thousands of caribou are roaming in great herds up to the very outskirts of Dawson. Every house in the city has been stocked up with caribou for the winter.

Three Steel Mills Closed.

Coatesville, Pa.—More than 700 workmen of the Midvale Steel Company are idle and three of the big plate mills are closed for an indefinite period because of the general slow down in orders. A dozen families have moved from the city.

German Toys Flood England.

Washington.—German-made goods are being dumped into Great Britain in considerable quantities, according to a report to the Department of Commerce from Consul Cipriani at Leeds. In the toy line especially German competition is felt, the consul said.

MacSwiney Weighed 75 Pounds.

London.—Terence MacSwiney weighed only 75 pounds when he died in Brixton jail after a hunger strike of nearly 74 days. He weighed 150 pounds when he began his fast on Aug. 12. The body was emaciated until the bones protruded through the parchment-like skin.

Island Plans World's Fair.

Ottawa.—Iceland is going to have a world's fair, with agricultural implements and other things common in a warmer climate for the edification of the Eskimo who snowshoe up to gaze on them. It will be held next June in Reykjavik, capital of the Icelandic government, the Canadian department of trade and commerce announced.

Objects To Nude Statue.

Milwaukee.—Efforts to hide the nudity of the Venus de Milo statue in the Layton Art Gallery were disastrous for Miss Margaret Seckiz, 18 years old. As a result of her desire to improve the work of the sculptor, she has been returned to the Milwaukee Hospital for Mental Diseases, from which institution she was paroled.

Big Demand for Passports.

Washington.—Indications are that all records for the number of passports issued will be broken during 1920, the state department announced. During the week ending Oct. 23, 2,600 passports were issued and in the first week of August 1,800. During 1919 38,000 passports were issued, as against an average of 34,000 annually issued during the preceding eight years.

Snakes Force Family Out.

London.—The family of a Pwllheli traction engine driver named Henry Jones had to leave their home owing to the discovery of snakes. One afternoon Mrs. Jones found two big snakes under the doormat and three others crawling under the dresser. She killed them all. On retiring to bed two big snakes were found under the baby's cradle. With considerable difficulty these were also killed, but the family thought it unsafe to remain in the house.

Dry Agents Accused of Killing.

Hurley, Wis.—John Chapuis, former saloonkeeper recently shot by federal prohibition agents, was "unlawfully killed by Federal agents whom we believe to be guilty," according to the verdict of the coroner's inquest here. M. F. Reed, district attorney, planned in bringing the alleged slayers to justice. The agents named in the verdict were Leo J. Grove, stationed at Marquette, Mich.; J. T. Berston, V. J. Dorval, K. Krounch, A. J. Scully and J. H. Sweeney.

MACSWINEY LAID IN ERIN'S BOSOM

WHOLE COUNTRYSIDE OF CORK PAYS TRIBUTE TO DEAD LORD MAYOR.

SIMPLICITY MARKS CEREMONIES

Armored Cars On Scene to Quell Riots, But No Violence Or Disturbance Noticeable.

Cork.—In the presence of surprised church dignitaries, scores of his former comrade volunteers and thousands of his countrymen, the body of Terence MacSwiney lord mayor of Cork, was lowered to its resting place in the "republican plot" in St. Finbarr's cemetery, just outside Cork. Despite the splendor lent the scene by the attendance of the high churchmen, there was a simplicity marking the ceremonies that was impressive.

Outside the cemetery, hidden by the enormous crush of townspeople, two armored cars, their machine guns ready, and a half dozen lorries filled with fully equipped soldiers, were drawn up at the roadside, imparting a sinister air to the otherwise solemn proceedings. But during the transfer of the body from the city hall through streets lined with crowds to St. Mary's cathedral and during the procession from the cathedral to the cemetery there was not an incident of violence or disturbance.

The city of Cork and the whole countryside paid tribute to the memory of their "newest martyr." The body was buried beside that of former Lord Mayor MacCurtain, who was assassinated. A few yards away are the graves of Joseph Murphy, adorned with an American flag, and of two other Irish republican soldiers, Murphy, like MacSwiney, died a hunger striker.

12 KILLED IN ELECTRIC BLAST

Short Circuit Explosion Ignites Oil At North Tonawanda Plant.

North Tonawanda, N. Y.—Twelve men were killed in an explosion and fire at the distributing tower of the Niagara Falls Power company here. The explosion occurred a few minutes after two new transformers had been cut in at the distributing tower of the power company's plant. Thirteen men were crowded in the room watching the work of the new machinery when there was an explosion, apparently caused by a short circuit. The force of the blast burst a steel barrel of lubricating oil which formed part of the new equipment and the flash of the electricity ignited the oil, which was thrown over the men in the room.

As a result of the accident, North Tonawanda, Tonawanda and a part of Buffalo were without electric lights and surgeons who attended the injured men at the hospital here had to work by candle light. All the dead were residents of this section.

SALE OF U. S. SHIPS HELD UP

Only Two Members On Board and Five Must Approve Plan.

Washington.—Sale of the government's emergency built fleet of wooden ships to foreign buyers has been decided upon by the shipping board as practically the only means of disposing of the vessels. Chairman Benson announces.

But the provisions of the merchant marine law require that at least five members of the board assent to the plan. The board has only two members now.

Some of the ships will probably be stripped of the engines, converted into barges and used in the New England coal trade.

There are now, he said, 192 wooden ships in the James river costing the government about \$100 a month each.

PRISON PALS ADMIRE WANDERER

Regard Him As Superman Who Cheated Hangmans Noose.

Chicago.—People who followed the case of Carl Wanderer, who confessed to the murder of his wife, unborn baby and an unidentified stranger, admit they cannot comprehend the mental processes which caused the jury to compromise on a sentence of 25 years, which actually means about 11 years providing he is not pardoned before that time.

The jurors themselves are being subjected to a pitiless fire of criticism, both from the press and pulpit and from individuals. Some of the jurors have been practically ostracized by their neighbors and acquaintances, and one has been threatened with death.

Russian Uprising Predicted.

London.—"The Russian soviet is making great efforts to prevent an uprising in the face of the food crisis," said a dispatch from Helsinki. Announcement is made that no mercy will be shown to agitators. Nicolaï Lenine has issued a statement that the peasants must be forced to give up food. The bolshevik newspaper, Izvestia, of Moscow, says that between July 23 and Aug. 21 court martials ordered 1,183 counter revolutionaries shot.

Sweets To Be Sent Abroad.

New York.—Many European children, born during the lean war years, will enjoy the taste of sweets next Christmas for the first time in their lives, as a result of price declines in this country. Because of lower costs the American Relief Administration announced it would add two and one-fifth pounds of sugar and one pound of cocoa to packages bought with Hoover food drafts beginning Nov. 1. The food drafts are purch

EARLE'S HYPO-COD WORKED MIRACLE, SAYS THIS LADY

Had Cough, Stomach Was Bad,
Nervous and All Shot to
Pieces.

FOR OVER A YEAR SHE GREW STEADILY WORSE

"About two years ago I had Pneumonia Fever which left me in a very weak, bad condition," declared this lady, "and I had a lingering cough that clung to me like death."

"I lost about twenty pounds and in spite of the prescriptions given me I continually became worse until I was a shell of my former self. My nerves were all shot to pieces and my stomach was so weak I didn't dare touch any heavy or solid foods. I lingered along for over a year getting weaker and weaker until that fortunate day when I saw where people here were raising a new medicine called Earle's Hypo-Cod."

"I went down to the drug store and bought five bottles and have taken them all and this wonderful medicine worked a miracle for me. Of all the miracles I ever heard of this was most wonderful. Why—I am feeling as good as I ever did in my life and the old cough is entirely gone. My appetite and digestion came back and my nerves are in good condition—I feel good all over and can't praise Hypo-Cod enough," declared Mrs. B. Choppers, 88 18th St., Detroit, Mich.

Surely after reading the above, if you are in need of a good tonic to build, you will at once give it a trial. Drop in at the drug store tonight, ask the druggist about it. Read formula on bottle, ask your physician about the ingredients. Druggists, chemists and experts assert that it is very powerful, yet very pleasant to taste.

Earle's Hypo-Cod is sold here by all good druggists and the leading druggists in all nearby towns.—Adv.

Church bells came into use in some parts of Europe before the seventh century.

Important to all Women Readers of this Paper

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney or bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased.

You may suffer pain in the back, headache and loss of ambition.

Poor health makes you nervous, irritable and may be dependent; it makes any one so.

But hundreds of women claim that Dr. Kilmor's Swamp-Root, by restoring health to the kidneys, proved to be just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

Many send for a sample bottle to see what Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine, will do for them. By enclosing ten cents to Dr. Kilmor & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., you may receive sample size bottle by Parcel Post. You can purchase medium and large size bottles at all drug stores.—Adv.

Many a man has been bunked by judging a woman's disposition by her smile.

USE "DIAMOND DYES"

Dye right! Don't risk your material in a poor dye. Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple that any woman can diamond-dye a new, rich, fadeless color into old garments, draperies, coverings, everything, whether wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods.

Buy "Diamond Dyes"—no other kind—then perfect results are guaranteed. Druggist has "Diamond Dyes Color Card"—16 rich colors. Adv.

Anyway, Ananias was never accused of being the author of a tombstone inscription.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the signature of *Dr. H. H. Fletcher*.

In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria.

The Cry of the Season.

"All right, sir, but won't you first shut the door?"

Catarrh

Catarrh is a local disease greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a Tonic and Blood Purifier. By cleansing the blood and building up the system, HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE restores normal conditions and allows Nature to do its work.

All Druggists. Circulars free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Political View.

Bluebeard's wife saw her predecessor.

"What a lot of good votes lost," she cried.—New York Herald.

A Lady of Distinction

Is recognized by the delicate (fascinating) influence of the perfume she uses. A bath with Cuticura Soap and hot water to thoroughly cleanse the pores followed by a dusting with Cuticura Talcum powder usually means a clear, sweet, healthy skin.—Adv.

Persuasion works wonders, but it cannot convert bad eggs into chickens.

May we remark that a man who sells parasols is engaged in a shady business.

MURINE

Night Morning

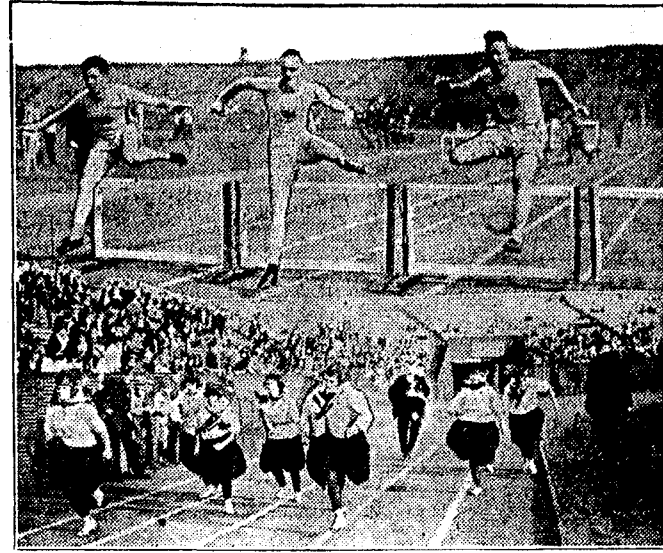
Keep Your Eyes

Clear—Clean—Healthy

The American Legion

(Copy for This Department Supplied by the American Legion News Service.)

FAMOUS ATHLETES ENTER IN PHILADELPHIA POSTS' MEET



Over the top (of the hurdles). Meanix, Darron and Loomis, of Olympic fame in the 220-yard low hurdles which Barron won, Yeomen (F) of Post 50, Philadelphia, sending the clinders flying in the 75-yard dash.

With winners in the Olympic games and other famous athletes entering in many of the events, the first annual track and field meet of the Philadelphia posts of the American Legion presented an array of stars that made athletic history in the city. Legion posts from Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts and other states were represented in the events open only to members of the veterans' organization.

More than 8,000 persons attended the meet which was staged at Franklin field, University of Pennsylvania. One of the most novel events on the program was the 75-yard dash for Yeomen (F) of Post 50, Philadelphia, which was won by Miss Marie Baxter in 11.5 seconds. J. W. Driscoll, a Boston Legionnaire, captured first place in the national Legion 600-yard run.

An undress race exhibition given by members of Prince-Forbes post of West Philadelphia and a tug-of-war between Prince-Forbes post and the State Fendibles post also were on the program. Another event with a military flavor, the bugle competition, was won by Richard Singer of Philadelphia, a bugler of 20 years' experience. He is sixty-five years old and served overseas with the motor mechanics.

Practically all the leading athletic clubs within a day's journey of Philadelphia were represented at the Legion meet. The trophy for the team winning the most points was awarded to the Meadowbrook club of Philadelphia.

Donned the Blue Chapeau

Members of Legion Secret Order Were Conspicuous at the Recent Cleveland Convention.

Members of Le Societe des 40 Hommes et 8 Chevaux, the leading secret order within The American Legion, were everywhere to be seen at the Cleveland convention wearing the picturesque blue chapeau of their organization.



A Voyageur of 40 Hommes, 8 Chevaux.

zation. One hundred and ten of the voyageurs militaires, headed by A. W. Breen, chef de chemin de fer, made the trip to the convention city from Philadelphia in box cars.

RED MAN APPEALS FOR AID

Indian Preacher Urges That Land Belonging to His Tribe Be Not Opened for Settlement.

Reverend Whitefeather, Indian preacher and veteran of the World war, has appealed to the American Legion Weekly for the protection of the land that belongs to his tribe, following a proposal to open up the reservation near Stillwater, Nev., for settlement.

"Make a law that no white man or Mexican can take our land or marry in this tribe," he wrote. "Put all poor Indians in good shape, and I know that the government will be well paid in the long run. We have no lazy Indians here at all. The white man would like to see us Indians give up our land and work for them. A man, no matter who he is, if he works out for others is the loser."

Reverend Whitefeather is a member of the Fallon (Nev.) post of the Legion. During the war he served with the Three Hundred and Sixty-fourth machine gun battalion.

Benefit for Akron Post.

The Police band of New York city gave two concerts in Akron, O., as the opening attraction for the winter season of entertainment arranged by the Summit county council of The American Legion. The band played in many other large cities of the Middle West.

Fifty New Members Added.

Fifty new members were obtained by the Wood River (Ill.) post in the course of an American Legion week. Dances, parades and a picnic were successful features of the program.

Stages Musical Comedy.

The latest mode in the Legion towns is the oil fields of Texas seems to be the production of musical comedies. Fifty members of a Legion post at Gorman, Tex., assisted by a similar number of young women, produced a whirly-girly show for the benefit of the post under the direction of a New York professional director, who also directed a similar entertainment for a post at San Angelo, Tex. The Legionnaires are alleged to have donated clothing to the value of \$1,000 in the extravaganza.

Lock Colony House.

Locking each colony house at sundown seems to help in preventing poultry thieves.

Good Fly Spray Helps.

A good fly spray saves annoyance to the milker and helps to keep up milk production.

Calves Do Well on Pasture.

Calves do very well on pasture and can be cared for in this manner more economically than in any other way. Care must be taken, however, to see that they receive what additional care is necessary. The calves of today are the herds of tomorrow.

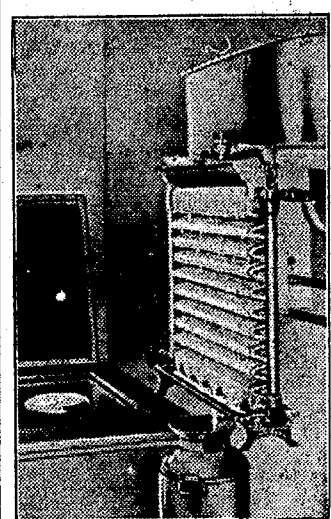
DAIRY POINTS

KEEPING MARKET MILK COOL

Product Held for Several Hours Without Proper Refrigeration Shows High Bacterial Count.

Generally, the larger numbers of bacteria found in market milk when it reaches the consumer are due more to the multiplication of the bacteria than to the original contamination. This great multiplication occurs because the milk is not properly cooled during storage, transportation and delivery. Just now this fact is of particular importance to the person having milk to sell.

Commercial experience confirms the results of experimental work. Milk which has been held for several hours without proper refrigeration nearly always shows higher counts than fresh milk from the same source. At a



Improved Apparatus for Cooling Milk.

certain creamery, milk received in the morning consisted of the previous night's milk and fresh morning's milk which were kept separate. During six summer months, from April to September, inclusive, 478 samples of the morning's milk showed an average bacterial count of 800,028, while 355 samples of milk which had been held overnight on the farms had an average bacterial content of 2,406,357 bacteria per cubic centimeter.

DRUGS DETRIMENTAL TO COW

Experiments at Iowa State College Show That Alcohol, Ales, Etc., Are Harmful.

The use of drugs with the idea of increasing the fat production of test cows has been tried out by Iowa State Agricultural college dairy section. In most cases it was found that drugs decreased rather than increased the fat production.

Such drugs as alcohol, castor oil, ptilutrin, aloes, magnesium sulphate, nux vomica and sodium chloride were tried and in all cases they were detrimental to the cows. All cows used were in good normal condition at the start of the tests and various sizes of doses were used.

In some cases it was found that the flow of milk and butterfat was increased slightly, but this soon fell off and in the end a decrease was noticed.

Up to date no drug has been found that will increase the butterfat. Dairywomen are strongly advised not to resort to this method as it injures the cows and is not a fair way to gain a record.

BEST TEMPERATURE OF MILK

Only Way to Insure Accuracy in Feeding Calves Is Thorough Use of Thermometer.

Milk as it comes from the cow possesses a temperature near 100 degrees Fahrenheit. When feeding young calves it is well to be very particular in regard to this matter. The only way to insure accuracy in determining temperature is through the use of a thermometer. As calves grow older, eight to ten weeks of age, the temperature may be reduced to 90 degrees Fahrenheit. However, it is always desirable to warm the liquid ration slightly, even for calves six months of age.

FEED COW QUITE LIBERALLY

Slage, Mangles, Rutabagas and Other Root Crops—Should Have Abundance of Feed.

The cow should be fed liberally on succulent feeds, as slage, mangles, rutabagas or other root crops. They induce the cow to consume large amounts of feed, which is desirable. Then, too, feeds of this kind are very palatable and easily digested.

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Most Economical Manner of Caring for Them, but They Must Have Additional Attention.

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Cow Requires Much Water.

The cow should be watered at least twice daily, for when giving large quantities of milk they require much water.

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Animals as Weather Prophets.

Few beliefs are older or more widespread than that animals, and especially wild animals, have foreknowledge of what the weather is to be, and something that amounts to such foreknowledge many of them doubtless do possess, but there is no reason, and only poor excuses, for assuming that there is a source of information accurate enough and of application remote enough to give any appreciable extension to the weather bureau's prognostications.—Exchange.

CONDENSED CLASSICS

FILE No. 113

By GABORIAN

Condensation by Isabel Anderson

Emile Gaborian was born in San Jose, California, November 9, 1883. He died at Paris, September 28, 1923. Gaborian is an admirable example of a man who arrived by finding out for himself what his real job was. Lawyer's clerk, volunteer in a cavalry regiment, he was writing with modest success pieces from life as it came before his eyes, when he wrote "La Dame Levee" in 1908. He suddenly became a European, indeed an international, character as the great master of the detective story. As has been the case with Sherlock Holmes, readers were not content with the printed page, but demanded to see upon the stage the personages who had excited their wild enthusiasm in a career of crime. "Le Dossier No. 113," "Monsieur Lecoq," "La Corde au Cou," "La Degradation," "Le Crime d'Orleans," "Les Esclaves de Paris," "L'Argent des Autres," are some of the books which have revealed the mysteries of crime, the procedure of the police courts, the secret life of the underworld, and all such processes as give a thrill of delight to that very great body of humanity ranging from grave to gay who take pleasure in a good detective story.

"AN exceptionally daring robbery—prominent bank entered—huge sum taken!" were the headlines in a Paris paper.

In following up this extraordinary case the mystery deepened, unheard of crimes were unearthed and thrilling situations occurred which baffled even the celebrated detective, Lecoq. It appeared that upon opening the safe one morning, the cashier startled the clerks by crying out: "I have been robbed!" They gathered about, but strangely enough upon inspection, the safe showed only a scratch, but no sign of having been broken open, although the 350,000 francs were missing that the cashier said he had placed there the day before. In order to pay Count Louis de Clameran, a friend who had been left a legacy by his brother, Gaston, M. Fauvel, the president of the bank, and M. Prosper Bertomy, the cashier, were the only persons who possessed keys to the door and were credited with the knowledge of a word which made up the combination. Although their relations had been like those of father and son, each now accused the other of taking the money.

The clerks were interviewed by the police, and search was made of the apartment over the bank, occupied by the president, his wife, and beautiful niece, Madeleine, whose engagement to the cashier had been mysteriously broken off—it was suspected she preferred Mme. Valentine Fauvel's handsome nephew, Raoul Lagors. The president's record was good, but suspicion was directed toward the cashier, as he had been living extravagantly. His arrest followed, although he protested his innocence. During the inspection of the bank and the apprehending of the cashier, he was seen to scribble a line hurriedly and throw it to the clerk. The latter was shadowed to the cashier's apartment and the note procured. It was addressed to Mme. Gypsy, informing her of his arrest and advising her to hide. During the examination at court, Prosper remembered that he had been indiscreet the previous night in saying to Gypsy, when perhaps he might have been overheard by the count and Raoul, that he had reason for constantly thinking of her at his work, when she accused him of not thinking of her any longer. The word Gypsy opened the safe. For lack of sufficient evidence Prosper was released and the case filed in No. 113.

On Prosper's return to his apartment, Gypsy had gone, but a note addressed in small printed letters was delivered to him containing money. The clever Lecoq, now living with Prosper, under the disguise of an old friend of his father's, revealed that the printed letters had been cut from a prayer book. Surely there was a woman in the case! Later a torn prayer book was discovered hidden in Madeleine's room. Did she love Prosper and think him innocent and in need of money? Yet soon after that, to the surprise of everyone, her engagement was announced to the old Count de Clameran. The reason for this was that Madeleine, by chance, overheard a conversation between the count and her aunt. The old count threatened to tell of the family skeleton if she did not consent to the marriage. Madeleine appeared and said she would marry him to keep the secret and the honor of the family name. On learning of Madeleine's engagement, Prosper, who really had always loved her, became very angry, and thinking there must be a sinister motive for Mme. Fauvel's allowing it, wrote an anonymous letter to M. Fauvel, telling him to watch his wife.

Lecoq noticed that the good-looking Raoul still continued his frequent visits to the house. Did it mean that he was perhaps not the nephew, but the lover of Mme. Fauvel? Disguised, the great detective attended a masquerade ball and made insinuating remarks to Mme. Fauvel concerning Raoul which caused her to faint, and when he spoke

of money matters, Count Louis turned pale. Returning home that night the detective was followed by two men and stabbed, but, fortunately, not killed. Lecoq, thinking he recognized the count and Raoul, decided that they realized that the police suspected them of robbing the bank, and also that there must be an even greater mystery to unravel that had caused them to become would-be assassins. Records were looked up and an amazing story came to light.

Lecoq discovered that years ago Mme. Fauvel, then Valentine de Verberie, had been engaged to the count's brother, Gaston. In defending her name at a country inn, Gaston had killed a man and fled to America, although he was thought to have been drowned while escaping. A son was born to Valentine and given away by her mother. Later she had married Fauvel, who was told nothing.

The story was never unearthed until Count Louis had squandered the family money and by mere chance had heard of the child's existence from an old nurse. He made inquiries. Not long after this, the count introduced a young man to Mme. Fauvel as her son, to serve his own ends and to extract hush-money. This young man was called her nephew and proved to be Raoul Lagors.

The situation became even more complicated, Gaston returned from America immensely rich, not knowing of the existence of his son, but determined to see his old love Valentine once more. Louis, however, realized that for his own ends, Gaston and Mme. Fauvel must never meet. He joined Gaston in the south of France and got into his good graces. Gaston made a will, leaving everything to Louis; then poor Gaston became mysteriously ill and died. Louis returned to Paris rich.

Madeleine seemed to wish to delay her marriage. The count feared she still loved Prosper, so he promised Raoul a large sum if he would in some way ruin the cashier's reputation, thinking thus to hasten his own marriage, as he really was in love with Madeleine. The moment came when Raoul overheard Prosper telling Gypsy he constantly thought of her at the bank. He then went to his mother and said he would shoot himself if he did not have a large sum of money that very night to pay a gambling debt. She got for him the key to the safe. The poor lady had already given him all her money and jewels and had nothing left to bestow. At the last moment she tried to stop him, hence the scratch that was discovered later. When she inquired how he knew the word that made up the combination, Raoul said that Prosper had given it to him and they were to divide the money between themselves.

Owing to the anonymous letter, M. Fauvel intercepted his wife's mail, and one day found a letter from Raoul asking her to go to his villa. M. Fauvel followed, and on entering and seeing his wife in the arms of the young man, pulled out his pistol to shoot, but fortunately it did not go off, as Gypsy, who had become Madeleine's maid, under Lecoq's instructions in order to watch the house, had taken out the bullets. At this point the great detective appeared and told the banker the whole story. He then demanded the 350,000 francs which had been stolen and Raoul returned the money; and what was more remarkable still, Lecoq showed them papers that proved Raoul was not Mme. Fauvel's son after all—her son had died—and the impostor was the son of a jockey hired by the count to play the part so as to secure money from Mme. Fauvel at the time when the count was poor, before Gaston had died.

During the conversation Raoul had made his escape, but no one cared, for the Fauvels naturally wished to keep the story secret, and it ended happily for M. Fauvel forgave his wife her early indiscretions. Lecoq was just about to arrest the count for his many crimes when the wicked old man went insane and kept repeating constantly that his brother Gaston was poisoning him. Strange to relate, the great Lecoq married pretty Mme. Gypsy, whom he had known and loved for years. Prosper, of course, married Madeleine, and M. Fauvel retired from the bank. The firm is now called Prosper Bertomy & Co. This amazing record of crime still remains in the police court in Paris and can be found in file No. 113.

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HELPS TO CONSOLE INSANE

Association With Others of Unbalanced Mind Said to Have Tendency to Benefit Them.

There is a tendency for many people to believe that when an insane person is put with other insane people the contact disturbs their minds, says the New York Medical Journal. On the contrary, as a rule the insane are benefited by this association. The insane grow impatient and unsettled when they are constantly associated with those who are rational, because, irrational themselves, the constant disagreements irritate them.

On the other hand, when the insane are brought in contact with those who are more irrational than themselves they derive some consolation from the fact, for even for them contentment is the feeling that things might be worse. They are often stimulated by the example of the irrationality of those around them to realize their delusions and to use their own reasoning powers to a better advantage.

Probable Cause.

"I see by the paper that there are three times as many city people as country people in the insane asylum," said Farmer Bentover.

"Hm!" judiciously returned Farmer Hornbeak. "I s'pose that's because the salaried clerks and such folks in the cities are driven crazy trying to buy motorcars and fur overcoats to match those of the farmers, and otherwise live in a style to which they have been unaccustomed."—Kansas City Star.

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Locating the Heart.

"Home is where the heart is," remarked the man of sentiments. "Yes," commented Mr. Billoo; "but I wish my landlord wouldn't keep my heart in my mouth."

Beauty Secrets for Women

A woman's fondest hope is to stay young. She often resorts to paints, powders and cosmetics to hide her years. Some women pay large sums to so-called "Beauty Doctors" in the belief that money will buy youth. Others wear girlish dresses, thinking they can fool the world about their age. But no one is deceived. The more you try to hide your age, the more it shows.

There is but one thing that holds old age back, and that is health. Sickness and weakness bring old age early in life. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a building-up medicine for women. It makes them healthy and strong when they suffer from women's troubles. It keeps them looking young by keeping them well. It is a woman's tonic for the frail, the delicate and those who are nervous, dizzy and who have backache and dragging pains. Favorite Prescription is altogether vegetable and without a particle of alcohol. It is safe to take. Try it now. In tablet or liquid form at all druggists, or send 10c for trial package of the tablets to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y.

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You can play a thousand records with a single Sapphire Ball, without injury to the records or to the Sapphire Ball itself.

And the tone! You have never heard such marvelous, lifelike tone reproduction in a phonograph, unless you have listened to the genuine Pathe.

Yet the **Pathe** Costs no more than the ordinary **Phonograph**

And it is to thoroughly demonstrate this fact, this marked superiority, that this Nation-wide sale is being held; that 15 genuine Pathe phonographs (Model 10), with their complement of \$25 worth of FREE Genuine Pathe Records, were allotted to us for this purpose in this town and that this same identical sale has been planned for a nation-wide demonstration which will embrace approximately 500 cities and towns of the United States.

One-Half of Our Allotment For This Great Sale Has Already Been Taken

One week ago we announced this most extraordinary sale of Pathe Phonographs with their complement of \$25 worth of FREE Pathe Records.

Today, we announce that practically one-half of the instruments we were allotted for this sale have been taken.

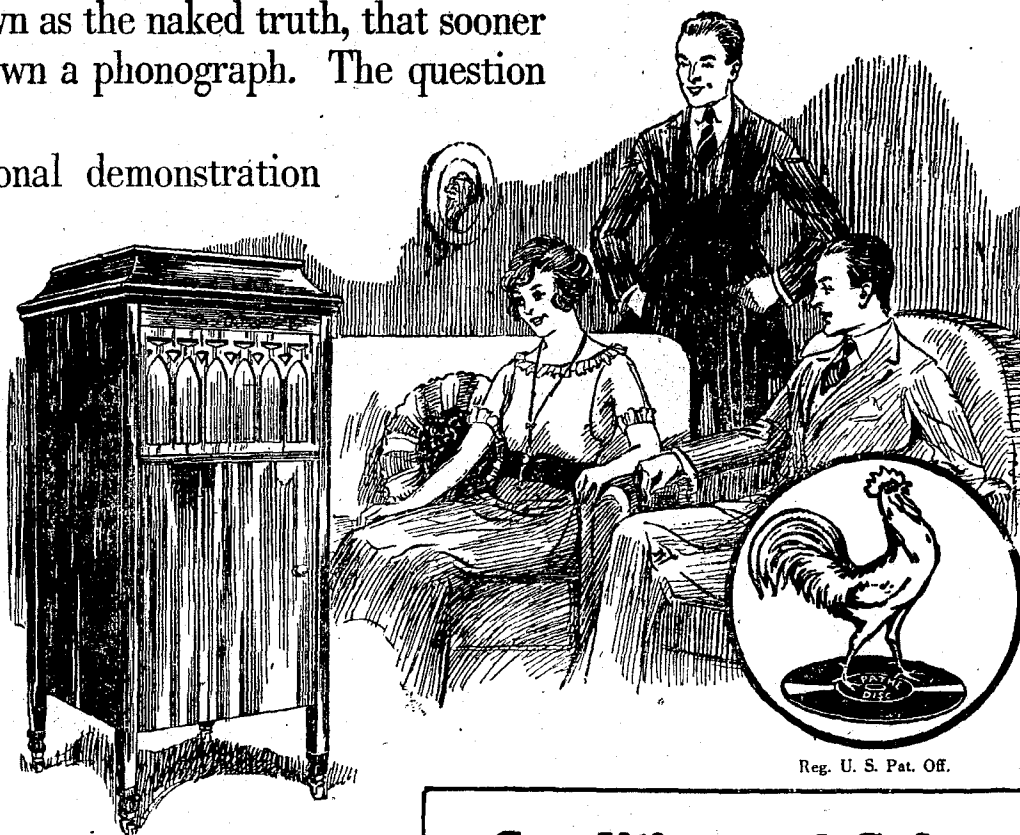
Our allotment for this vicinity was 15 phonographs (1921 genuine Pathe Model 10; same as shown in cut).

Six had been sold up to two o'clock yesterday.

This means that there are but nine remaining to be taken. And as the sale is just now becoming thoroughly advertised and as many persons have seen and heard the instruments who intend to procure one but have not yet made their selection, it will be but a few more days until the whole allotment will have been taken.

We therefore suggest that you come in at once if you wish to own one of these splendid phonographs and its superb equipment—upon the terms of this special sale.

MAX LANDSBERG



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Conditions of Sale

- The phonograph offered in this sale is the 1921 genuine Pathe Phonograph Model No. 10, 43 inches high, 20 1/2 inches deep, as shown in cut, in Mahogany, Walnut or Oak, 5-ply, absolutely the most substantial cabinet construction on the market today, equipped with:
 - One indestructible genuine Pathe Sapphire Ball (full-tone) and one indestructible genuine Pathe Sapphire Ball (half-tone) for playing Pathe Records.
 - One Universal tone arm and sound box for playing all makes of records.
 - \$25 WORTH OF GENUINE PATHE RECORDS—YOUR OWN SELECTION—FREE.
 - One hundred steel needles.
- The total price for this entire outfit is \$150.
- You may practically name your own terms. Tell us what you want to pay down on your first or initial payment. THE BALANCE MAY BE PAID IN WEEKLY OR MONTHLY PAYMENTS EXTENDING OVER ONE YEAR.
- This equipment, including the \$25 worth of records, will be delivered to your home, immediately, upon receipt of your initial payment. Freight or Express charges will be prepaid to all points within fifteen miles.
- The Pathe Phonograph included in this sale is guaranteed for one year, both the manufacturers and ourselves agreeing to replace any defective parts without charge during this period. Written guarantee to this effect furnished with each phonograph.

These "Conditions of Sale" are identical with those prevailing in Boston, Chicago, New York and San Francisco and every other metropolitan city where this sale is being held.

Tear this out, fill in and mail to us at once.

Without any obligation whatsoever on my part, you may send me photographs and other descriptive matter of the Pathe Phonograph you are offering upon special terms. Also send photographs of the Pathe Actuelle Model you are offering at \$250.

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It would surprise you to know the number of people who use and recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Mrs. J. N. Rose, Verona, Pa. writes "Chamberlain's cough remedy has been used by myself and husband for a number of years for coughs and colds. I also gave it to my little grand-daughter three and a half-years of age when she had croup last winter. It broke up the attack at once. I have recommended this remedy to many of my friends and neighbors who have also used it with good results." Adv.

A RAT THAT DIDN'T SMELL AFTER BEING DEAD FOR 3 MONTHS.

"I swear it was dead at least 3 months," said James Sykes, butcher, Westfield, N. J. "We saw this rat every day. Put a cake of RAT-SNAP behind a barrel. Months later my wife asked about the rat. Remembered the barrel, looked behind it. There was the rat—dead, not the slightest odor." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by A. M. Lewis, Druggist—Adv.

IF IT IS A BILIOUS ATTACK. Take three of Chamberlain's tablets and a quick recovery is certain. Adv.

FREDERIC BRIDGES.

We have had a beautiful fall if snow does cover the ground in the near future.

I say the improvements on the Town hall are fine. A coat of paint then it will be up to date. Storage under same will be big help to the farmers for potato storage.

Earl Barber is home for a short visit from Hopkin, N. J. Elton Barber was up for Sunday dinner. Everything fine at Auburn.

Ernest Barber returned Sunday morning from Detroit, where he was in attendance at the Co. B. 389th Inf. reunion. Says he enjoyed it more than when in Russia.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Cram have moved back from Detroit and expect to reside in Grayling.

George Sheldon is driving a new Ford.

Mrs. McCracken returned home from Bay City last Tuesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burke, an eight pound girl. Mother and babe doing fine.

T. E. Lewis of Detroit has been in town the past week looking after interests of his store.

Yes, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Barber's 12 foot table was filled for the first time Sunday since 1917, when Earl volunteered in the Navy. Grandmother headed the table Edward and wife, Elmer and wife, Ernest, Earl, Elton, Elwood, Elroy, Esther, Evelina, Ethel, Erma and Elnora, and Mr. A. Wagner of Detroit were there.

Mr. Leggett of Deward is our new Section foreman. Glad to have him with us.

We note that Enoch Burton and Turley are driving Ford cars nowadays.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bradley have moved to town so their children can go to school.

It is reported that there is much need of repair on Fayette road. Come on Albert get busy.

AuSable.

ELDORADO NUGGETS.

Miss Cecelia Wagner died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wagner, Monday, October 25 of tuberculosis, at the age of 20 years. She was not very well known here, having come from Chicago last Spring and has been ill ever since. The burial took place at the Eldorado cemetery Thursday afternoon. Besides her parents, she leaves three sisters and three brothers.

While driving home from Roscommon Monday afternoon, a truck owned and driven by Carl A. Richardson struck a train at the county line crossing of the gravel pit switch. George Royce, who was riding with him, was quite seriously hurt, sustaining a broken leg and other injuries, and was taken to the Mercy hospital at Grayling. Richardson escaped with a few cuts and bruises. The truck was wrecked. Full particulars as to how the accident occurred are not available at this time.

Mrs. Mattie Funch spent Sunday with friends near Coy.

W. L. Knight was called to Riga a few days ago by the serious illness of his mother.

Mrs. N. A. Fry is moving from the Henderson farm to her home in Roscommon this week.

Conrad Wehnes has purchased a new Ford truck.

W. W. Henderson of Lapeer was a business caller in the neighborhood Saturday.

Mrs. Hubbard Head is quite sick.

CARD OF THANKS.

To those who assisted us, during the illness and at the death and burial of our son and brother, we wish to express our sincere and heartfelt thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson, Brother, William and Sisters Edna and Dollie.

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"I had feed bins lined with zinc last year. Rats got through, pretty soon. Was out \$1.25. Last year, age of RAT-SNAP killed so many rats that I've never been without it since. Our collie dog never touched RAT-SNAP." You try it. Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by A. M. Lewis, Druggist—Adv.

NOTICE.

Department of the Interior. U. S. Land office at Marquette, Mich., Oct. 16, 1920.

Notice is hereby given that Arthur J. Brockman, of Grayling, Mich., who on September 26, 1917, made Homestead application No. 04182, for NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, S 1/2 of SW 1/4 and NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sec. 24, Twp. 26 N., R. 2W., Michigan Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three years' proof to establish claim to the land above described, before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Crawford county, at his office in Grayling, Mich., on the 28th day of November, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses: Reuben Babbitt, Seeley B. Wakeley, Philip G. Zalsman, Ross N. Martin, all of Grayling, Mich. John L. Heffernan, Register.

10-28-5.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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